



PRINCETON  
HISTORY

- 1860'S SCHOOL  
RECORDS
- SCHOOL PIX  
Through the years
- C.W.A. PROJECTS  
1934 -
- 1940 - 60'S  
ARTICLES + PIX

# APPENDIX

## OTHER INFO

Because it would be too great a task and too expensive a publication to include a comprehensive history of Scott County, Iowa, the Heritage Book Committee felt a need to include this list of sources available to the public in the Special Collections Department of the Davenport Public Library.

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The Special Collections also has the microfilm of early newspapers of Davenport and several other publications of interest to historian or genealogist. The Davenport Public Library is an excellent facility for researching Scott County, Iowa, history or family genealogy.

nished by the interurban railway. The vote was overwhelmingly in favor of the proposition, and on December 22 the current was turned on. The streets were filled with men and women, in appreciation of the event.

The town administration in 1924 was composed as follows: M. L. Hire, mayor; L. G. Sutler, John Scott, Dr. Geo. Cusick, Theo. Dubois and E. L. Slaughter, councilmen; B. L. Morgan and R. A. Strong, assessor.

Public spirited women formed an organization for beautifying the levee, which was naturally fine, but was greatly neglected for many years, and they also took proper care of the cemetery. The men followed the good example and combined for the introduction of several public improvements, and considerable welfare work was done.

In the heydays of its existence, Princeton had a number of societies, which did much good in promoting social and elevating life. Among them was a music band, a glee club and several literary and dramatical organizations. Several attempts to establish a local newspaper, as a means of promoting the interests of the community had failed. L. R. Walker published the Princeton Reporter in 1900, and Frank Hamann the Princeton Herald in 1905, but neither of these enterprises was of a long duration.

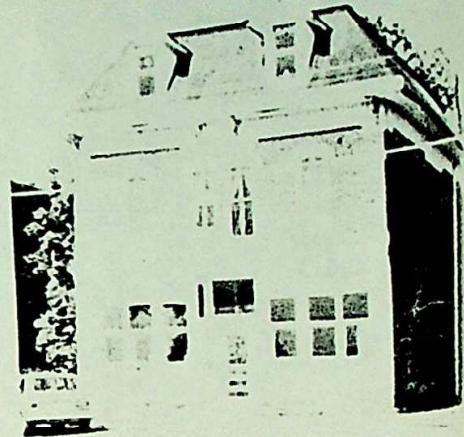
The first lodge of a fraternal order was Swan lodge, No. 234, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows, which was instituted

April 3, 1872, with the following officers: O. W. Hogan, N.G.; J. W. Forsyth, V.G.; W. F. Culbertson, R. S.; Benj. Metzgar P.S., and Sam Williams, Treas. By a destructive fire in the L. P. Chamberlin block on January 6, 1879, the lodge suffered a loss of \$500. Echo lodge, No. 104 of the degree of Rebekah, was connected with the lodge. Andrews lodge, No. 69, of the Ancient Order of the United Workmen, so named for Mayor George Andrews, who had been instrumental in its organization was established May 26, 1876. The first master workman was D. W. Ulam, and the other offices were held by C. L. Maxwell, D. W. Hanks, Wm. Darbin M. Matthews, C. W. Knott, H. C. Chapman, Frank Shaw, and William Moss. Home Guards lodge, No. 14 was instituted February 1, 1908, by Jerry Green, supreme secretary of the Home Guards of the World, assisted by C. F. and Mrs. Anna Meyer. Princeton camp of the Woodmen of the World was established August 10, 1906, but its charter was transferred to Argo in LeClaire township where most of its members resided."

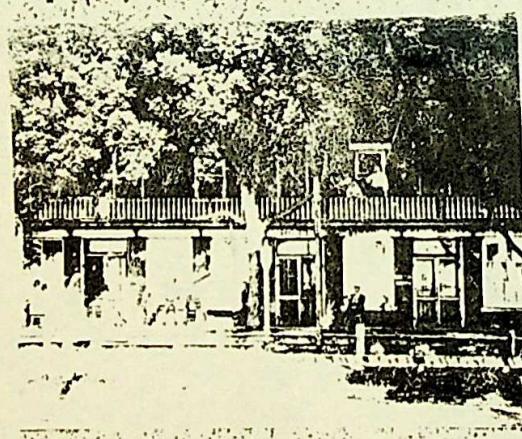
Today, Princeton is a growing town with a projected population of 1,000 people by 1990. The school system is now part of the North Scott Community School District. Princeton has an elementary school on Lost Grove Road. Upper grade and higher school pupils attend North Scott High School at Eldridge.

Princeton has good hunting and fishing, particularly in the area surrounding the Wap-

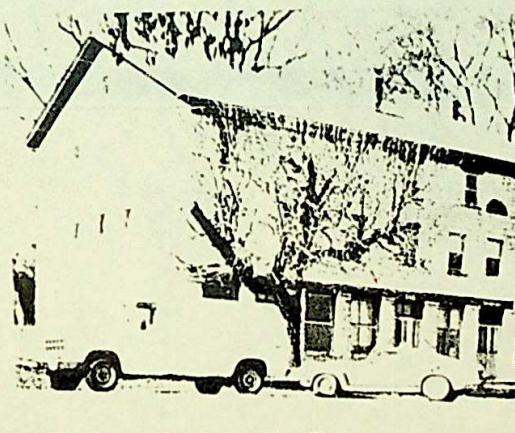
sipinicon River. It is considered one of the best birding areas of Iowa. The town has all the conveniences needed for comfortable living, including library facilities. There are numerous parks, recreational areas and a nearby golf course. At Water Tower Park visitors usually comment first on the spectacular view of the river before enjoying the facilities. The annual weekend homecoming celebration, Princeton Days, is always well attended. Submitted by Dorothy Lage



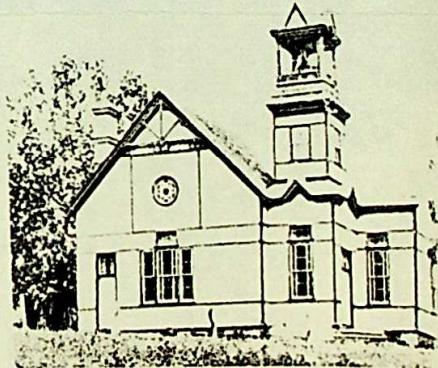
A building in Princeton built by J. D. Dennis 1880. The lower floor was a general store, the upper floor was a hall used for dances, picnics and general meetings.



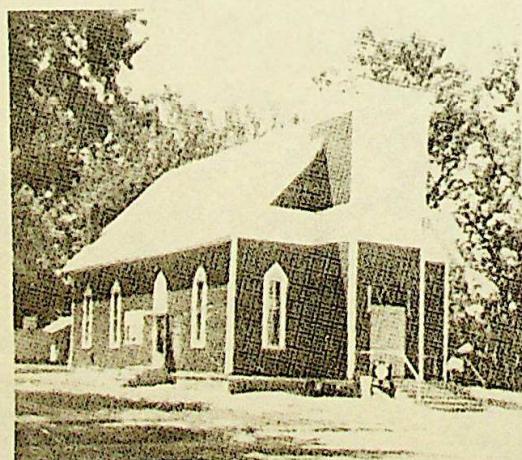
The River Side Hotel was also a stagecoach stop in Princeton. Photo courtesy Lora Baughman



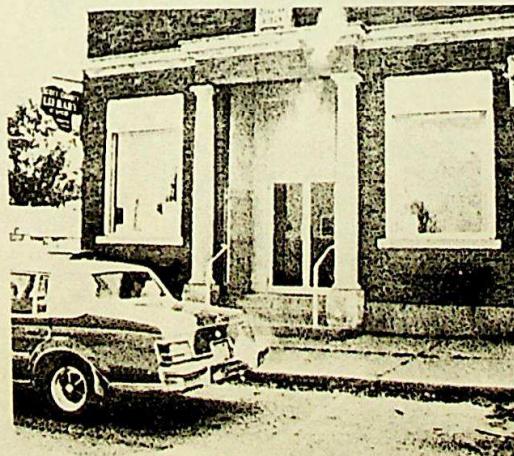
Now the formerly known River Side Hotel is called the Kane Apartments. Photo courtesy Dorothy Lage



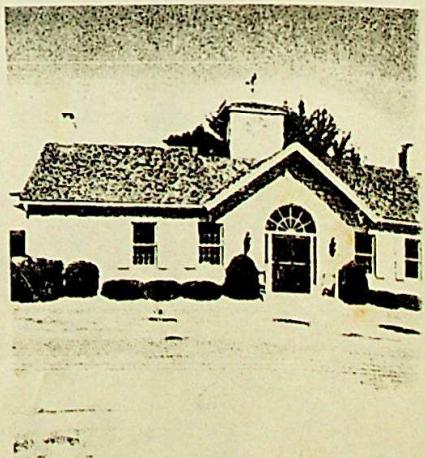
Presbyterian Church, Princeton, circa 1900. Photo courtesy Les Fullmer



The old Methodist Church in Princeton, built in 1858. Photo courtesy Dorothy Lage



Early photo of Farmers Savings Bank which now houses the Scott County Library — Princeton Branch.



Farmers Savings Bank in 1990.

LIST OF PROPERTY IN SUB. DISTRICT NO. 6 PRINCETON, IOWA 1860  
Director: James Henry

James McConnell  
Robert McCool  
David Jamison  
Joel B. Jamison  
William Jamison  
J.C. Washburn  
D.F. Hosford  
William Peters  
Samuel Porter  
George McConnell  
Nicholas Martin  
Thomas Toat (or Toot)  
John Colins  
William Dougherty  
t.S. Rogers  
Barner & Thompson  
Charles Sykes  
John Henry  
Nathanial Brown  
James Spear  
Thomas Scott  
Joel Hemor  
James Long  
John Henry Junr  
James Henry  
Detteff Alp  
Claus Horst  
Claus Schrader  
James Shuman  
John Scott  
Samuel Scott  
August Schmidt  
Bell of Pennsylvania  
Esmas Rohlf  
Reids Heirs  
Proctor of Illinois  
R.H. Rogers  
Levi Redick

James Jack  
H.H. Schlodfelt  
Rob  
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G.W.  
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Will  
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James  
James  
Henry  
John Muligan  
Joseph Patison  
Henry  
W.W.  
James

School #8 1940's  
Princeton Township  
School #2 1940  
Princeton Township  
Pleasant Hill 1940's  
Grassy Lane  
Sand Hill  
OLD STONE SCHOOL 1-10th  
Princeton Elementary

Copies of  
items given  
to me from  
the Paul B. Dennis  
Family.

MAPLE GLEN  
SCHOOL  
BLUFF ROAD  
across from  
Schroeder farm?

1860 + SCHOOL RECORDS

P.H. McGinnis

Officers: O. W. F. Cul-  
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A building in Princeton built by J.  
1880. The lower floor was a general  
upper floor was a hall used for  
general meetings.

otel is called  
Dorothy Lage

Presbyterian Church, Princeton,  
courtesy Les Fullmer

which now  
Princeton Branch.

Farmers Savings Bank

I.W.A. PROJECTS 1939-51

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Director: James Henry

James McConnell  
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John Henry  
Nathanial Brown  
James Spear  
Thomas Scott  
Joel Hemor  
James Long  
John Henry Junr  
James Henry  
Detteff Alp  
Claus Horst  
Claus Schrader  
James Shuman  
John Scott  
Samuel Scott  
August Schmidt  
Bell of Pennsylvania  
Esmas Rohlf  
Reids Heirs  
Proctor of Illinois  
R.H. Rogers  
Levi Redick

James Jack  
H.H. Schlodfelt  
Robert Creswell  
Charles Bernet  
G.W. Baird  
Bowman Scott  
William Scott  
Charles Blair  
Nicholas Craus  
William Spear  
Joseph Coe  
John L. Ghast  
James Duncan  
David Crooks

NAMES OF OWNERS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY:

James Dougherty  
James Trimble  
Henry Buck  
John Muligan  
Joseph Patison  
Henry Hurlbert  
W.W. Scott  
James Scott

RANK OF STUDIES (not dated ,appears to be 1860's) (P.M.)

Mary McQuiston  
Eliza Warren  
Betsy Turner  
Ella McQuiston  
Mary McBride  
Sarah Hire  
Emma Pope  
Matilda Crouse  
Ella Billings  
Annie Hubbard  
Katie Walker  
Lizzie Walker  
Mary Warner  
Narcissa Sank  
Alice Turner  
Alvaretta Pope  
Susie Donaldson  
Alice Smith  
Louisa Brusch  
Mary Stewart  
Ellen Miller  
Lizzie Todd  
Mary Rook  
Mattie Sharlow  
Annetta Hardt  
James Uriel  
Bicknell Bennett  
Jesse Forsyth  
Frank Ammons  
Herman Hardt  
Charles Logan  
David Sharlow  
Louis Walker  
George Underwood  
Cornelius McBride  
William McQuiston  
George Edington  
Job Dennis  
Louis Pope  
Payson Bigelow

## TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA 1863 May 18th -Nov.

teacher: Electa M'Cullough (salary per month \$18.00)

Henrietta Bell	age	10
Narcissa Sank		10
Melvina Williams		11
Martha Hubbard		8
Kate Walker		6
Lula Wiemar		5
Charlotte Pearsall		12
Mary Pearsall		14
Isabella Hubbard		6
Amelia Smaltz		6
Emma Krentz		5
Eliza Hubbard		6
Mary Rook		11 (16)?
Cassie M'murray		11
Mary Warner		11
Mary Culbertson		8
Louisa Brasch		9
Alfrata Pope		10
Arabella Stuart		10
Harriet Hire		7
Bell Hire		5
Carrie Atherton		12
Lizzie Morrison		8
Annette Hardt		8
Hester Hubbard		7
Mary HUbbard		5
Caroline Moody		8
Mary Ann Moody		5
Rosa Blackman		8
Ellen Miller		10
Mary Eisiben		6
Jerusha Wilkφnson		10
Emma Morrison		13
Lizzie Knox		6
Fanny Ulam		6
Angeline Hubbard		12
Louisa Moody		13
Adaline Moss		6
Ida Fry		6
Clara Lancaster		6
Emma Davis		6

## TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA 1863

Frank Ammon	11	
Charly Ammon	5	
Louis Walker	7	May 18th
Franklin Bell	6	
Oscar Green	7	Xxxxxxx:
Cole Sank	6	
George Edington	9	
Hermann Hardt	10	
Franklin Pearsall	8	teacher:
John Pearsall	11	
Charly Drennen	5	Robert Johnson
Harrison Murphy	8	
Gilbert Murphy	5	
George Drennen	7	
Walter Stuart	9	
Henry Brasch	7	
James Warner	6	
Charles Wiseman	6	
Samuel Sank	12	
George Underwood	5	
James Hire	10	
Peter Hire	8	
Charles Budd	8	
Willie Eisbben	5	
John Rook	12	
Charles Mallory	8	
Clarie Chapman	5	
Adelbert Shaw	5	
William Rook	5	
Issac Moody	9	
John Warner	9	
Florence Bulters	7	
Rufus Thompson	6	
Rodolphus Bennett	9	
Charles Leslie	6	
Charlie Rook	6	
Harlan Carpenter	10	
Thomas Leslie	8	
Willie Carpenter	5	
Clark Nowlin	6	
Robert Culbertson	9	

TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA  
teacher: Robert Johnson

DECEMBER 7th, 1863

Ruth Pearsall	age 5
Mary Rook	11
Naricissa Sank	10
Melvina Carber	9
Louisa Brasch	9
Dora Ammon	12
Hattie Hire	7
Harriet Atkinson	8
Caroline Moody	9
Mary Culbertson	9
Lula Wiemar	6
Melvina Williams	9
Carrie Atherton	11
Anna Hubbard	12
Jerusha Wilkinson	13
Emma Kruntz	7
Emma Davis	6
Lizzie Morrison	8
Rosa Hire	6
Mary Ann Moody	7
Ada Ross	6
Bell Nowlin	5
Lizzie Wakefield	9
Charlotte Pearsall	11
Etta Pope	10
Viola Irons	11
Emma Morrison	13
Eliza Hubbard	6
Annette Hardt	8
Elizabeth Morey	8
Ida Fry	6
Ida Phillips	5
Lucinda Pearsall	7
Hester Hubbard	8
Mary Hubbard	6
Clara Landcaster	6
Martha Hubbard	9
Ellen Miller	12
Amelia Marzi	12
Dora Carpenter	6
Ella James	6

## TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA MAY 23rd - JULY 26th, 1869

teacher: Mary E. Hess

Alice Smith	age 14
Emma Bell	13
Katie Moyer	13
Emma Johnson	11
Valla Namah	13
Martha Hubbard	14
Lucinda Piersol	13
Ada Moss	11
Etta Goller	10
Ida Morgan	11
Dora Shaw	11
Emma Wells	11
Augusta Schmalz	13
Annie Martini	10
Hannah Thompson	12
Kate Walker	11
E.M. Davis	12
Mary Walker	13
Inez Shaw	9
Clara Lancaster	11
H.A. Hubbard	14
Ruth Piersol	11
Agnes Hardt	6
Agnes Walker	13
Hattie Reynolds	
George Edington	13
Lewis Pope	15
A. Schleoffle	12
Michael Hire	10
Charles Metzger	9
John Moyer	9
Henry Brusch	13
George Metzger	11
Charles Williams	12
Henry Goller	8
John Martini	8
Cole Sank	13
William Scott	9
Charles Leslie	12
Rufus Thompson	13
William Carpenter	11
David Smith	11
William Walker	9
George Bennett	9
William Hess	9
Irwin Morgan	9
Frank Piersol	14
Jarod Smith	13
Elijah Smith	10
Frank Pope	9
Fred Goller	7
Willie Shaw	
Charlie Rook	13

CHILDREN IN THE PRINCETON SCHOOL DISTRICT SEPTEMBER 12th, 1864  
ages 5-21

John Hire	m1/f2	I. Emeigh	m2
Mary M. Williams	m1/f2	Ino Zimmerman	m2/f1
John W. Walker	m2/f2	G.L. Bell	m2/f3
Riley Wood	m1	Peter Weimer	/f1
John Forsythe	m2	John E. Sank	m3/f1
William McQuiston	m1/f3	Job Edington	m1/f1
A. Brush	m1/f2	S. Simpson	/f1
Thomas Drennen	m3/f1	Mrs. Hubbard	m1/f3
John Wiseman	m1/f1	William Thompson	m5
George Keilholtz	m1/f1	Stephen Thompson	/f1
William Lamphise	m1/f2	Hugh Kelsey	/f1
Samuel Williams	m1	B. Metzger	m2/f1
John Parcells	/f2	John Ucam ?	/f1
James Mooney	/f1	Peter Warn	/f3
Thomas Blackburn	m1/f2	David Miller	/f1
D.W. Culbertson	m5/f2	M. Moore	m4
William Crouse	/f1	A. Lancaster	m1/f1
W.D. Dennis	m1	G.M. Pinneo	m1
Hugh Leslie	m3/f3	Jerry Hubbard	m1/f3
John Walker	m3/f2	M. Bonnell	0 ?
Willian White	m2	Enos French	m2/f3
John Scott	m1	D. Sharlow	m4/f1
Ross W. Miller	m1	Luther Nieson	m1/f3
Robert Pope	/f1	W.N.L. King	/f1
Frank Eisleben	m1/f1	N. Moss	/f1
N. Hardt	m1/f1	TOTALS:	male105 female105
Mrs. Kinkaid	m1/f1		
Mrs. Warner	m4/f2		
John Reed	m1/f1		
E.D. Fry	/f2		
Leah Ammons	m2/f3		
W.W. Shaw	m2		
N. Marzi	m1/f1		
John W. Martin	/f1		
Samuel Knox	m1/f1		
E. Momsen	m1/f3		
John Peirsol	m2/f6		
O.D. Thornton	/f1		
Davis Thomas	m1		
Arthur Martin	m1		
Winser Smith	m4/f2		
M. Wakefield	m1/f1		
R. Johnson	/f1		
Many Camison	m1/f2		
Ann/Am/Arn? Wells	/f1		
Mary Carber	m2/f1		
George W. Rummell	m1		
Nicholas Rook	m3/f2		
Thomas Atkinson	/f2		
Ed Averill	/f2		
A. Goller	/f1		
Jacob Fesler	m1/f1		
A. Carpenter	m2/f2		
Tolney Warren	m2/f1		
L. Chapman	m1		

TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA DECEMBER 7th, 1864  
teacher: Robert Johnson

Robert Culbertson	age 10
William M. Luiston	7
Frank Ammon	10
John Rook	12
William Rook	9
John Warner	10
James Warner	7
Louis Walker	8
George Edington	10
Henry Brasch	9
George Underwood	6
Charles Wiseman	6
Frank Bell	6
Isaac Moody	9
James Hire	9
James Thompson	13
Rufas Thompson	6
William White	8
Edward Fessler	12
Frank Pearall	9
Willy Carber	8
Charly Wilkinson	9
Charles Drennen	6
Joseph Wilson	11
Willie Carpenter	6
George Carber	11
Edward Barnfast	6
Francis Morey	9
George Kreutz	12
George Morey	6
Adelbert Shaw	7
Myron Moore	14
Willie Eisleben	6
John Hubbard	14

## CENSUS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT CITY OF PRINCETON Sep. 20th, 1869

NAME OF FAMILY	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Phillip Moyer	1	2	3
William McQuiston	1	3	4
Ias A. Neise	2	1	3
Robert H. Pope	2	1	3
Thomas W. Drennen	3	1	4
Rev. Walls	3	2	5
W.D. DAvis	1	0	1
Jacob Hurdman	1	0	1
Henry Hausen	1	0	1
Peter Ulam	0	1	1
I.J. Penner	1	1	2
G.G. Dennis	1	0	1
B.B. Metzger	3	2	5
H. Schloeffel	2	1	3
Henry Cruser	0	1	1
G.W. Reynolds	0	1	1
Nicholas Rook	3	1	4
William C. Smith	2	0	2
C. Smalz-(Smultz)Schmalz	0	2	2
Jacob Eneigh	1	1	2
Robert Bile (Bell?)	2	1	3
James Leslie	2	2	4
John Reed	1	1	2
S. E. Myers	1	1	2
Maria Hardt	1	1	2
John J. Walker	4	3	7
Justus Pope	1	1	2
Mrs. Ammon	2	1	3
Mary Scott	1	1	2
Alonzo Carpenter	3	3	6
Robert Johnson	0	2	2
Ambrose Wells	2	1	3
J.B. McBride	4	1	5
T. Wirtzenber	0	1	1
W.H. Shaw	3	2	5
Dame Williams	1	1	2
Andrew Goller	2	2	4
B. Kensinger	1	1	2
Charles Layton	3	1	4
Samuel Scott	1	0	1
Peter Weimes	1	1	2
Mrs. Dauk	1	1	2
Henry Chapman	1	0	1
John Handson	1	4	5
Mary Smith	3	1	4
Mary Williams	1	1	2
Elijah Moss	0	1	1
John Forsyth	1	0	1
Frank Shaw	1	2	3
John W. Walker	3	5	8
John L. Zimmerman	1	0	1

cont.

teacher:

Robert Johnson

## OF SCHOOL DISTRICT CITY OF PRINCETON SEP. 20th, 1869 (cont.)

NAME OF FAMILY	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Stephen Thompson	0	1	1
Levi S. Chamberlin	2	0	2
A. Brush	2	1	3
Thomas Drennen	3	1	4
Doctor Knox	3	1	4
Jerry Hubbard	1	2	3
Newriah Moss	1	2	3
A. Lancaster	1	1	2
John Moore	0	1	1
John R. Peissol	2	4	6
Reese Nannah	0	2	2
Issac Hess	3	2	5
R. Bennett	2	0	2
D.H. Culbertson	4	2	6
John William	1	0	1
Margaret Hubbard	0	1	1
W.H. Thompson	3	0	3
George Thompson	0	1	1
Hugh Kelsey	0	1	1
Iasill Forsyth	1	2	3
E. Miller	0	1	1
J.G. Welch	1	1	2
G.M. Pinneo	0	1	1
Mary Ann Scott	1	2	3
Charles Pinneo	2	1	3
Mauen Bennell Place	0	0	0
Stringham Henry	1	0	1
Isaac Morgan	2	1	3

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## TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA 1870

teacher: Elsie Stacey May 2nd - June 24th, 1870

George Herron	age 8
Willie Chamberlin	7
Willie Blair	8
Greely Lancaster	7
Rolla Hess	8
Jimmie Culbertson	8
Sammie Knox	9
Bennie Metzgar (Metzger?)	7
Charlie Williams	5
Lewis Chamberlin	5
Henry Pope	5
Tyler Shaw	7
Gusta Brusch	8
Freddie Pope	6
Elmer Morgan	7
Jasael (Jasael?) Davis	9
Frankie Root	9
Walter Scott	8
John Reed	5
Frederick Gouller	8
Charlie Metzgar (Metzger)	11
Lewis Weimer	8
Ervin Morgan	11
Cole Sank	11
Charlie Rook	12
Frank Pope	10
Jared Smith	12
Elmer Chapman	5
Willie McBride	8
Willie Williams	5

## TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA 1870

teacher: Elsie Stacey

May 2nd - June 24th, 1870

Mary Gouller	age 6
Addie Williams	10
Lizzie Culbertson	11
Ella Conser	
Mary Herron	10
Hettie Walker	6
Carrie Carpenter	7
Annie Thompson (Thompson?)	
Louisa Smaltz Schmalz	6
Bessie Goodwin	5
Ella Olinger	7
Annie Goodwin	7
Isadore Walker	5
Ocela Conelly	9
Fannie Shaw	7
Julia Metzger	9
Alice Hubbard	6
Jennie Handson	5
Emma Leslie	6
Sarah Handson	11
Josie Walker	10
Agnes Hardt	11
Mary Moore (More?)	7
Linnie Moss	7
Lucinda Piersol	7
Etta Consor	5
Ralph Blair	7
Willie Stringham	7
Tommie More (Moore)?	5

## TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA 1872

teacher: Elva Carpenter

April 22nd - July 12th, 1872

Samuel Hire	age 7
Louis Hensen	9
Auguste Haack	
William Leslie	10
Byron Lancaster	10
Willie Maxwell	8
Bennie Metzger	9
Marion Morgan	6
Thomas Moore	7
Mortimer Morrison	7
Freddie Pope	8
Scott Pope	6
John Reed	7
Wilber Smith	9
George Smith	6
Joseph Thompson	5
Charles Thomas	7
George Williams	12
William Williams	8
Charles Welch	7
Samuel Walker	10
Ella Conser	
Carrie Carpenter	
Mary Goller	
Evalyn Conway	
Addie Williams	
Lettie Walker	
Willie Blair	
Rollie Hess	
Elmer Morgan	
Charles Shaw	
Linnie Moss	

## TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER INDEPENDENT DISTRICT PRINCETON, IOWA (SCOTT CO.)

teacher: Elva Carpenter      April 22nd-July 12th, 1872

Maggie Blair	age	7
Ella Bond		7
Lizzie Culbertson		13
Ella Conser		7
Genera Chapman		5
May Chapman		6
Annie Carpenter		6
Ernestine Condron		8
Louisa Fessler		7
Amelia Goller		6
Bessie Goodwin		7
Katie Kensinger		7
Emma Leslie		8
Mary Metzger		7
Nellie Peoples		6
Louise Schmalz		9
Emma Schmalz		7
Fannie Shaw		11
Ella Scott		8
Emily Scott		7
Anna Thompson		8
Laura Thompson		6
Nellie Walker		7
Isabella Walker		8
Gustave Brusch		10
Ralph Blair		9
Elmer Atkinson		8
Willie Chamberlin		9
Lewis Chamberlin		7
Elmer Chapman		8
James Culbertson		11
David Hire		10
Charlie Hire		6

## TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA 1875 -1876

teacher: E.B. Greeno      October 18th - March 10th, 1876

Ella Conser	scholar's age	13
Etta Conser		10
Elmora Armstrong		15
Louisa Smaltz Schmalz		13
Emma Smaltz		10
Fannie Shaw		10
Julia Ney		14
Emma Ney		10
Lizzie Culbertson		17
Mellie Walker		10
Leible Myers		12
Mary Metzger		10
Rosa Drennon		9
Belle Walker		10
Emelia Goller		9
Allie Adams		10
Annie Erskine		10
Rosa Evans		9
Ella Scott		11
Linnie Mafs		10
Maud Shirley		12
Matilda Drennen		19
Maggie Blair		10
Minnie Culbertson		9
Martha Price		11
Maggy Hanks		14
Clara Myers		10
Willie Maxwell		12
David Penry		10
Sammy Hire		10
Charles Shaw		11
James Culbertson		14
Charles Knox		13
Wilber Smith		12
John Reed		10
Elsworth Condren		14
Sammy Walker		14
Martie Mallison		10
Ambrose Shirley		13
Willie Chamberlin		13
Elmer Chapman		11
Byren Lancaster		13
Scott Pope		9
Fred Pope		11
August Brasch		14
Bennie Metzger		13
Ralph Blair		13
David Smith		11 (17?)
George Penry		16
Wash Williams		16
Frank Hanks		13
Andrew Erskine		12
Ben Benson		20
Perry Alchich		13
Charles Williams		20
John Smith		20

TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON OCTOBER 18th 1875-March 10th, 1876

Charles W. Pinneo  
teacher

Nellie James  
Annie Blair  
Clara Landcaster  
Katie Walker  
Cetta Jenkins  
Annie Martini  
Dora Shaw  
Mary Hubbard  
Addie Moss  
Lillie Baxter  
Dora Carpenter  
Julia Metzger  
Josie Walker  
Addie Williams  
Hetty Walker  
Mary Price  
Tenie Erskine  
Nora Armstrong  
Ella Couser  
Lotta Cambell  
Mary S. Moore  
Louisa Smalz Schmalz  
Charlie Williams  
Edward Stafford  
Willie Scott  
Sammy Knox  
Frank Pope  
Willie Blair  
Mike Walker  
Willie Walker  
Fred Goller  
Willie Hess  
Rolla Hess  
Thad Wheeler  
Mack Hire  
Henry Goller  
Charles Metzger  
George Metzger  
Edgar Hanks  
John Martini  
Silas Condren

## TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA April 22nd-July 12th 1872

teacher: Robert Johnson

	age
Blair, Willie	
Carpenter, Stanley	12
Hefs, Rollie	
Knox, Sammy	11
Metzger, Charlie	12
Morgan, Elmer	
Shaw, Charlie	
Sank, Cole	16
Atkinson, Flora	13
Atkinson, Susie	10
Conser, Ella	
Conway, Evaline	
Goller, Mary	
Hubbard, Esther	16
Hubbard, Eliza	15
Hubbard, Kitty	14
Hefs, Hattie	14
Hire, Rosa	14
James, Ella	14
Kelsey, Cornelia	13
Lancaster, Clara	14
Mofs, Linnie	
Morgan, Ida	15
Metzger, Julia	10
McQuiston, Annie	13
McQuiston, Ella	
Shaw, Inez	13
Schloeffel, Theresa	12
Walker, Josie	10
Welch, Josie	11
Schmalz, Augusta	15
Walker, Hettie	
Williams, Addie	
Reed, Emma	
Carpenter, Carrie	
Moore, Daisy	9
Bond, Ida	12

TEACHER'S GENERAL REGISTER PRINCETON, IOWA March 29th 1875  
teacher: C.E. Small

Allie Adams  
Mary Metzger  
Belle Walker  
Annie Erskine  
Lillie Myers  
Emma Ney  
Ella Couser  
Ettie Couser  
Martha Price  
William Stringum  
William Maxwell  
Elsworth Condson  
Silas Condson  
Charles Williams  
Scott Pope  
August Brasch (Brush)  
Ralph Blair  
Morton Morrison  
Samuel Heire  
Emma Schaltz  
Amelia Goller  
Andrew Erksine  
Fannie Shaw  
Mary Price  
Lizzie Culbertson  
Maggie Blair  
Louisa Schmaltz  
Nora Armstrong  
Wilber Smith  
Charles Shaw  
James Culbertson  
Charles Knox  
DAvid Penry  
Elmer Chapman  
Fred Pope  
William Chamberlin  
Samuel Knox  
Josie Walker  
Julia Metzger  
Daisy Moore  
Mellie Walker  
Mary Scott  
Sadie Scott  
John Reed  
Addie Moss  
Rolly Heess  
Hectie Walker  
Rosie Evans  
Addie Williams  
Ella Scott  
Anna Blair  
Clara Landcaster  
Dora Shaw  
Kate Walker

BOND A.PATTERSON BUIDING

Know all men by these presents, that we Arthur Patterson, as principal, Rumels & Atkinson, SJ Underwood, Sam Scott, John Culbertson as Securitie of the County of Scott, and State of Iowa, are held and firmly bound unto the Independent District City of Princeton in the County of Scott and State of Iowa-in the penal sum of Six Thousand (6,000.) Dollars. For the payment of which. Well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, administrators, and assigns, jointly, severally, and firmly by these presents.-

The conditionof the above obligation is such, that whereas the said Arthur Patterson has this day entered into a written contract with Board Directors of School District Independent District City of Princeto in the County of Scott, and State of Iowa, & his successors in office, for the Erection & Completion of a School House in said District by the 1st day of September A.D.1866 according to the plan and specifications for the construction of said House, appended to said contract.-

Is therefore if the said A. Patterson shall faithfully and fully compl with all the stipulations of said contract, then this obligation shall be void - otherwise remain in full force and virtue in law-

In Testimony whereof we have hereunto Subscribed our names this 14th day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty Six (1866).

Artur Patterson              Principal

Rummel A. Atkinson  
S.J. Underwood  
Samuel Scott              Securities  
John Culbertson

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(Washington 25 stamp)  
(dated)

Documents:

1. Willis Hopson dated August 9th, 1865  
Lot # seven in block # 13 in the town of Elizabeth City  
(Washington 50 stamp) deed  
James Thorington (recorder) Ino Web Collins (deputy)
  2.  
Contract between Board Directors Independent District of City Princeton  
and A. Patterson for building School House.  
Cost of materials: \$1,380.00,\$3.75, for wood frame stone School.
  3. Contract: Thomas I. Drennen \$387.50 cost of good quarry stone  
for School House project.  
Lot #6 in block #13 John and Mary Scott, Deed of Bargain & Sale
  4. dated August 9th, 1865. (Washington stamp 50)
- National Insurance Company, Davenport, Iowa #1901
5. Mr. D.H. Culbertson as treasurer of Independent School District Princeton  
dated July 29th, 1868:  
Two Thousand Dollars on two storied Stone School House 38'x40'  
Situated on Lots 4 & 5 Block (13) Town of Elizabeth City-  
County of Scott, State of Iowa.  
(Washington stamp 25) signed C.H. Eldridge, secretary
- E. Smith, President  
dated 29th, January, 1867

(Penelope Miller has these items)

Property of the "Princeton Days Committee" -- PRINCETON HISTORY PROJECT  
Donated by the Paul Dennis Family

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Number eleven was a Dodge, Victory Six, Model 1930--a very low four-door sedan. It was purchased new and was a dark blue.

The twelfth was a President L head, line eight, black Studebaker. It was Model 1928 and was an eight passenger with wire wheels.

Number thirteen was a Studebaker Dictator, six passenger Sedan. It was model 1933, black in color, and new.

Number fourteen was a Studebaker Dictator, six passenger sedan, Model 1935--black in color and new. Mr. Preston Hailey McGinnis died March 16, 1939 and left this Studebaker to his daughter, Lottie McG. Ernst of Bettendorf, Iowa. This car was later traded in on a 1941 two-tone green Oldsmobile at the Louie Shuh Garage in Dewart and was then purchased by Hugo Petersen of Davenport, Iowa (later of Spruce Pine, N.C.).

The first automobile Hearse Preston Hailey McGinnis owned was a 1913 <sup>Gay</sup>. It had ~~say~~ hard rubber tires, chain drive, <sup>a</sup> carved body with side glass panels and double rear doors. The body was built in Des Moines, Iowa. (Black) John F. Wilson was driver of this car for Preston H. McGinnis for years.

The second was a 1918 Oldsmobile eight. Nelson Finley McGinnis drove the Olds chassis from Lansing, Michigan by Lincoln Highway (#30) to Princeton, Iowa--sat on the gas tank. Rudolph Blocker (carpenter and mechanic) removed the carved body from Gay chassis to lengthen out Olds chassis. <sup>With 6x6</sup> <sup>ON THE FRAME,</sup> From oak timbers he made drive shaft, brake rods, etc. Shortly after the car had been completed Rudolph Blocker had a heart attack and was the first to ride in the new black Olds Hearse. This hearse was used in Bettendorf until 1926.

The next hearse was a Meteor-Studebaker President. Six limosine, model 1926, with disk wheels. It was a two-tone gray with pearl-gray below belt and buckingham gray above the belt. The interior was gray embossed leather in the front and gray mohair in the rear compartment. The car was bought through the Fluckinger Motor Co. in Davenport, Iowa. Finley Preston McGinnis and his sister Ruth went by train to Piqua, Ohio to drive this car to Bettendorf as orders specified. Arriving at the factory in Piqua we were informed that the car had been driven to the Studebaker factory in South Bend, Ind. It being a week end, Ruth had to return to Bettendorf by train as she was a teacher in the Bettendorf School and had to be on duty Monday a.m. Finley P. McGinnis had to stay over in South Bend until factory opened Monday am. The car was parked in an open 'cinder' lot and was so dirty you could hardly tell the color. Further investigation showed no oil on the oil stick. Finley was so irritated he would not except car until it was washed, greased, and oil changed and tested and proved ok. It did serve well.

The next was an Eureka-Cadillac, two-way side servicing Limosine, Model 1919, with no door in rear. The spare tire was carried on rear of car. The interior was of blue mohair and exterior was dark blue. This car was used in DeWitt, Iowa.

Number four coach was a Henney-Packard 120. It was a three-way side servicing Limosine, L.Head-line eight, Model 1936. The exterior was maroon with burgandy mohair interior. This auto was sold to Jensen Funeral Home in Kimballton, Iowa in 1948.

The fifth was a Henney-Packard, three-way side servicing Landau. L-Head-Eight in line--Model 1948--from Freeport, Ill. The exterior was maroon with the burgandy mohair interior. This coach was traded to the Superior Coach Co., Hawkeye Garage, DesMoines, Iowa in 1953--Gunner Anderson was the representative.

The next coach was a Superior-Cadillac, three-way side servicing

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Landau. This Model 1953 was air conditioned and was maroon with the finest interior of two-tone burgany and gray nylon.

The seventh was a Eureka-Cadillac, three-way side servicing Landau. Model 1958 was very similar to the 1953 with the maroon exterior and two tone interior. It was also air conditioned. This coach was traded to the Foster Eureka Co. in Sterling, Ill. in 1964.

Model 1964 was an Eureka-Cadillac, three-way side servicing Landau, air conditioned, and was maroon exterior with the finest interior of burgandy and gray nylon.

The first 7-passenger tonning car was a Cadillac--about a 1917 model. It was dark green and had yellow spoke-wheels. It was purchased, used, about 1925. This car was used on a few funerals but soon traded on a Cadillac Limosine. This limosine was a 7-passenger, 1915 model. It was dark green with dark green velvet interior. This was the first 'family' limosine used by McGinnis Funeral Home. It was bought (used), about 1925.

The next was a Studebaker- President six, eight-passenger sedan, Model 1927. It was black with disk wheels and had gray whip cord interior. The next was a Studebaker-President exactly like the one previously described.

The fourth was a Packard, 8-passenger sedan, model 1931. The exterior was maroon and the interior was a light brown broadcloth and had a brown curley rug in rear. The wheels had 'six wire' and there was a 'folding' trunk rack on the rear. This car was bought from the Packard garage in Chicago, Ill.--A beautiful car with chrome-mesh grill in front.

The next was a Packard eight-passenger Formal Limosine, model 1939. It was a beautiful car --dark blue exterior with gray broadcloth on rear seats and black leather on the front. This limosine was purchased from the Packard Garage in Chicago, Ill. and was later

traded for the Dodge eight passenger, model 1950, at Peters Motor Co., DeWitt, Iowa.

Number six was the Dodge-Coronet, eight passenger, six cylinder--model 1950. The exterior was maroon with gray whip-cord interior. The 1939 blue Packard was traded in on it at Peters Motor in DeWitt, Iowa. Bob Peters sold car to a Preachman who had plenty of trouble with it, he pulled a trailer with it Bob Wazdy Lang with telling the story.

The seventh was a 1950 Dodge-Coronet, eight passenger, six cylinder. This limosine was exactly like number six, previously described.

The eighth was a Cadillac 75, eight passenger sedan, model 1952. It was maroon exterior with gray broadcloth interior and was air conditioned. This car was bought from Langwith Motor Co. in Davenport, Iowa in 1953 and was like new. General Dwight D. Eisenhower rode in this car in the 'campaign' Parade in Davenport in 1952. It was later traded to Harry Grossle, Freeport, Ill. on a 1957 Cadillac 75, Formal Limosine in 1959 and then sold to Handenshield Funeral Home in Dubuque, Iowa.

Number nine was the Cadillac 75, eight passenger Sedan, model 1950. It was maroon exterior with light brown broadcloth interior and was air conditioned. This car was purchased from the Sumption-Cadillac in Moline, Ill. in 1953. Traded the 1949 Rocket Oldsmobile, and 1950 Cadillac to Harry Grossle in Freeport, Ill. on the 1959 Cadillac 75 Formal Limosine in 1961.

The next was a Cadillac 75 eight passenger, Formal Limosine, model 1957. It was maroon exterior with gray broadcloth in rear and black leather in front of the interior and was air conditioned. This was the best that Cadillac made. Was bought from Harry Grossle in Freeport, Ill. in 1959.

The eleventh was a Cadillac 75, eight passenger Formal limosine, model 1959. The interior had gray broadcloth in rear part and beige

leather in front. The exterior was maroon. Best Cadillac made.

Was purchased from Harry Grossle, Freeport, Ill. in 1961.  
Loved Family and Friends, church members, Mr. & Mrs. McGinnis, Son traded.

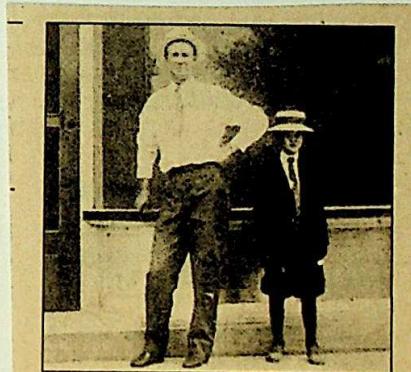
The first 'ambulance' car used by the McGinnis Funeral Home in Bettendorf was a 1927 Studebaker-President Six, an eight passenger Limosine converted to use for death calls, passenger car or ambulance. Also used as 'ambulance' was a 1935 maroon, two-door Olds sedan converted to use both ways. This car was listed under the name of Finley P. McGinnis. Also used as 'ambulance' was an 1940 two-door sedan, maroon, Oldsmobile converted to use both ways. This was the first air conditioned car in this area. It was listed under the name of Finley P. McGinnis. By FINLEY  
The next ambulance was a 1941 two door sedan, maroon Oldsmobile converted to use both ways. This car was listed under the name of Roy B. McGinnis. The next ambulance was a Dodge-Coronet, eight passenger sedan, model 1950 (maroon). It was listed as a 'limosine' and later converted to an ambulance. This car burned in the DeWitt garage fire. The next ambulance was a Dodge-Coronet, eight passenger sedan, model 1950, maroon color. It was listed as 'limosine'. It was later converted to ambulance and used in Bettendorf--later replaced the ambulance in DeW. after the fire.

The next ambulance was a black, eight passenger sedan, 1940 Dodge which was purchased in 1945 and converted to an ambulance. Finley McGinnis traded the 1937 President-eight, two door, Studebaker sedan which he had acquired in taking over the McGinnis Funeral Home in DeWitt, Iowa. in 1945, to the James E. Baxter Motor Co., Davenport, Iowa. This car was later traded at Langwith Motor Co., Davenport, Iowa for a Cadillac 75, eight passenger sedan, maroon, Model 1952. This transaction took place in 1953.

In 1941 a seven passenger, formal limousine Packard (Maroon 1937) was bought at the Packard Garage in Chicago, Ill. This car was converted to Ambulance in the body shop in Chicago. A Chicago woman

had had a 'custom built' Rolls-Royce body mounted on the Packard ~~chassis~~ shortly before she died. The Rolls-Royce had a gold plated windshield. This was the third car we had purchased from the Packard Garage in Chicago.

The next ambulance was the International Travelall B100. It was a 1960 model--color, maroon ~~with~~<sup>in</sup> three doors. There was no door on the left rear side but had double doors in the rear. This car was traded at International on a ~~C100~~\* C100 in 1963. The 1963 model was a maroon, with four doors plus the double doors in the rear. Both above mentioned Internationals were purchased<sup>new</sup> from International Motor Co., Davenport.



P.H. McGinnis' business was the forerunner of McGinnis Chambers and Sass Funeral Home.

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The first car used by Finley Preston McGinnis was a Model T Ford roadster. This was a black, 1917 Model, with a California glass enclosed top. It had an inside starter and a hand lever and foot peddle--you pushed on the peddle and pulled on the lever at the same time. It worked good. It also had a front crank. Finley was ten years old when his father, Preston Hailey McGinnis, came home to Princeton from Davenport, where he had purchased the new Model T. Fifteen minutes after his father had put the Ford in the garage a neighbor, Mrs. Lizzie Wilson, called to inform Mr. McGinnis that Finley had gone up the road in the new Ford. Finley drove it almost exclusively from then on. Although he was only ten years old no license was required. This Ford had about every accessory available installed on it. This Model T was later traded in for an International truck.

The second was a Model A, Model 1928. It was a two-tone (Arabian Sand and Desert Gray) four-door Sedan with light brown interior. It was purchased new from Wright Brothers Garage in McCausland, Iowa. The order was placed before knowing what the car would look like. This Model was later traded to Lytle Motor Co., Davenport for a Plymouth.

The Plymouth was a 1933, black, four-door Sedan. This car was later traded to William Helm Motor Co., Davenport, for a 1935 Oldsmobile.

The Oldsmobile was a 1935, maroon, two-door Sedan--six cylinder. This car was also used for an Ambulance.

The '35' Olds. was later traded to Vincent J. Neu Motor Co., Davenport on a 1940 Oldsmobile. It was a maroon, two-door Sedan. This model was later sold to Louise McCluskey of 823 Grant St., Bettendorf.

Finley's fifth car was a 1940, maroon, two-door Sedan, Oldsmobile--six cylinder. This car was purchased new from Vincent J.

Neu Motor Co., Davenport, Iowa. This car was used for ambulance as well as passenger. This car was the first air-conditioned car in this area. The Oldsmobile representative wanted to take the car to Detroit, Mich. for inspection but he did not make good enough offer. This Olds. was later traded to Vincent J. Neu Motor Co. for a 1949 two-door sedan, maroon in color.

The sixth car was a 19 black Chevrolet coupe, purchased from a boy going into the Army while Finley P. McGinnis was in the U.S. Air Corp., Selman Field, Monroe, La. It had large balloon tires. Was only owned a short time when Finley had to move over-seas. He sold it to Lt. Goldfarb at Selman Field, Monroe, La.

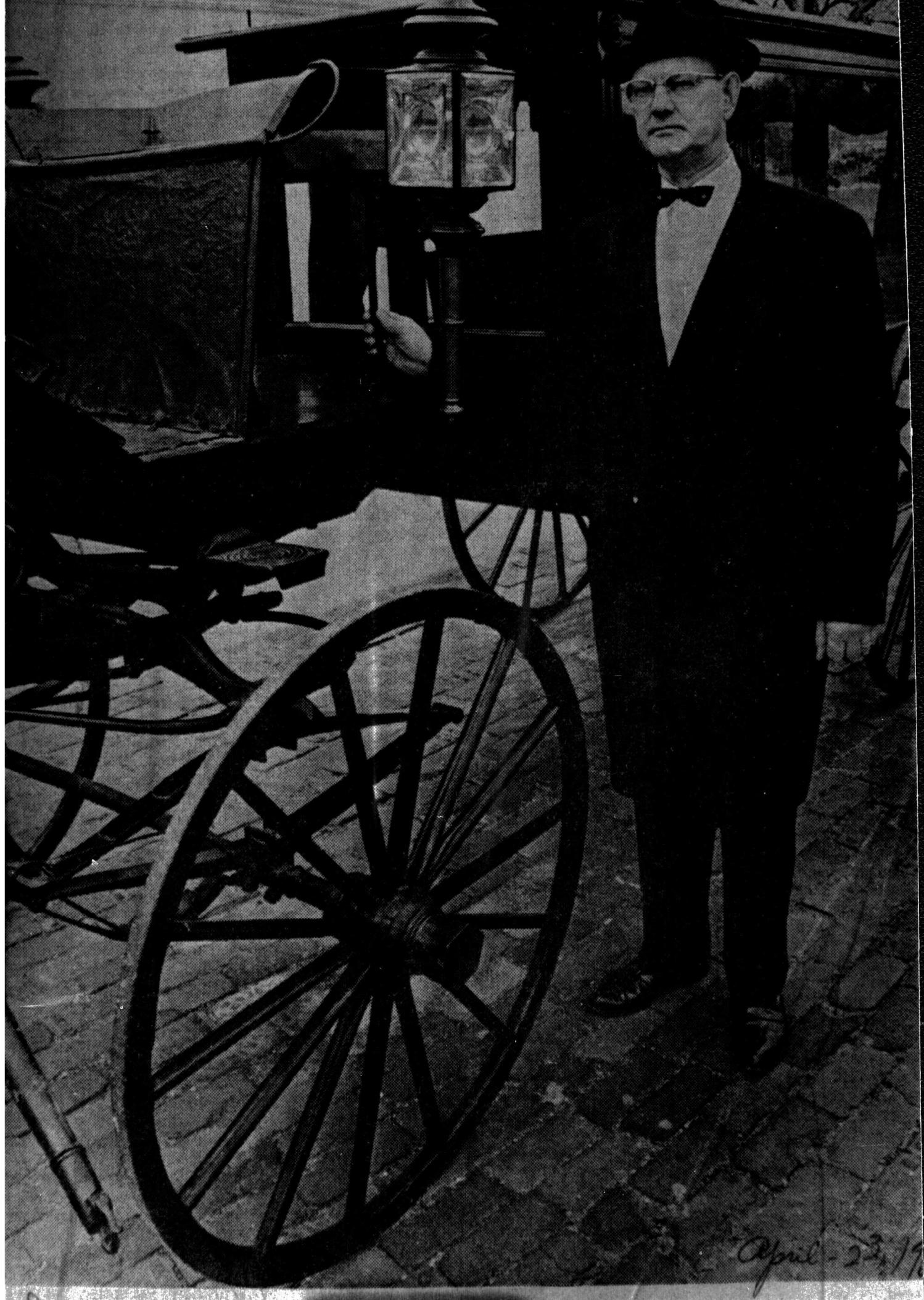
Number seven was a 1949 maroon, two-door Oldsmobile sedan--first Rocket eight-cylinder motor. It was purchased new from Vincent J. Neu Motor Co., Davenport. It was later traded to Sumption-Cadillac Co., Moline, Ill. on a 1950 maroon, eight-passenger Cadillac sedan.

Car number eight was a Plymouth Station wagon--a 1951 maroon two-door. It was purchased new from Peters Motor Co., DeWitt, Iowa (six cylinder). First time it was used for flowers Lottie said she did not like it and would have to wear slacks if she was to get flowers out of it. It was traded back to Peters Motor on a 1951 four-door Dodge station wagon--maroon with brown vinyl interior.

The ninth was a Dodge-Coronet station wagon. It was a 1951 maroon, four-door purchased new from Peters Motor Co., DeWitt. This car was later traded to Strieter Motor Co., Davenport for a 1957 white Mercury Colony Park station wagon. In 1963 it was sold to Clarence Garrison.

Number ten was a Dodge Sierra Custom MD3-11, four door, three seat, Station wagon. It was a 1959 coral with black and white vinyl interior. This car was air-conditioned and had a D500 motor. The car was purchased new from Peters Motor Co., DeWitt and later traded to Vincent J. Neu Motor Co., Davenport for a 1964 Oldsmobile-Fiesta, three

seat, 88 Station wagon. Maroon exterior with Regal Mist vinyl interior--air conditioned.



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T The first truck purchased for the Funeral Home was a 1926 three-quarter ton, four-cylinder International. It was black with red wheels. It was a 'used' truck, purchased in 1928 from International Garage in Davenport. There was a nichol plated rail around about eight foot truck box; a nice enclosed cab with leather upholstering. This truck was traded for the 1917 black Model T Roadster--was allowed \$50.00 on trade. Finley P. McGinnis has always regretted not having kept this car as it was his frist automobile.

The second was a three-quarter ton, six-cylinder, 'telephone Co. gray', 1936 Dodge. This truck was bought from Cy A. Peck Casket Co., Davenport, Iowa in 1937. It had high built box, eight foot long, with wing out top on each side. There was room for a vault in the box and three caskets across the top. Very fine enclosed cab with nice leather upholstering. This truck was later sold to Howard E. Canfield at the Bridge Foundry Co., 818 27th St., Bettendorf, Iowa.

From the desk of  
David Chambers

I hope this will  
be of help Penne -

David

(Information from the McGinnis Car Museum in Bettendorf)

P.H. McGinnis

P.H. McGinnis's first hearse was a horse-drawn, glass enclosed, with lord-oil coach lamps on the side. It was built in Rock Falls, Ill. in 1870. It was acquired when the business was taken over from Walter Peaslee, in Princeton, Iowa, at the turn of the century.

The first automobile Preston Hailey McGinnis owned was a 1911 Studebaker E.M.F., a five passenger touring car. Number two was a 1913 Model T Ford with a brass radiator. Number three was a 1914 Model T Ford with a brass radiator. Nelson Finley McGinnis also drove them.

The fourth was a 1916 Grant six, five-passenger touring car with over-head valves. Very noisy! It was able to go up Mr. and Mrs. Bridges hill off of Kroegers lane south of Princeton, when Mrs. Bridges died.

The fifth car was a 1917 Dodge, five passenger touring car, four cylinder, with side curtains. The sixth was a 1921 Dodge chassis (four cylinder) that the body had burned. Mr. McGinnis had a Brisco four-door Sedan body mounted on the chassis. This was the first glass enclosed car owned. It was rather a square type of body (black in color). It was in possession when moving to Bettendorf in 1923.

Number seven was a model T Ford, 1921 Sedan with one door in middle of right hand side. The eighth, a Dodge four-door sedan about 1922. (black) The ninth car owned was a new 1925 model Chevrolet. It was a dark green four-door sedan, (four cylinder) with disk wheels. The tenth was a new dark green four-door sedan, 1926 Dodge (four-cylinder). This was the first car of this type with balloon tires.

Number eleven was a Dodge, Victory Six, Model 1930-a very low four-door sedan. It was purchased new and was dark blue. The twelfth was a President L head, line eight, black Studebaker. It was Model 1928. And was an eight passenger with six wire wheels. Number 13 was a Studebaker Dictator, six passenger sedan. It was model 1933, black in color, and new. 14 was a Studebaker Dictator, six passenger sedan model 1935--black and new. Mr. Preston Hailey McGinnis died March 16, 1939 and left this Studebaker to his daughter, Lottie McGinnis Earnst of Bettendorf, Iowa. This was later traded in for a 1941 two-tone green Oldsmobile.

The first automobile hearse Preston Hailey McGinnis owned was a 1913. It had hard rubber tires, chain drive, a carved body with glass side panels and double rear doors. The body was built in Des Moines. (black) John F. Wilson was the driver of this car for years.

The second was a 1918 Oldsmobile eight. Nelson Finley McGinnis drove the Olds chassis from Lansing, Michigan by Lincoln Highway #30 to Princeton, Iowa--sitting on the gas tank. Rudolph Blocker (carpenter and mechanic) removed the carved body from the 1913 Gay chassis to lengthen out the Olds chassis. With 6x6 oak timbers on the frame he lengthened drive shaft, brake rods, etc.. Shortly after the car had been completed Rudolph had a heart attack and was the 1st to ride in the new black Olds hearse.

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PROJECT #50 - PERSONNEL OF THE C.W.A.OFFICE

The administration office of the CWA in Scott County handled all business under the CWA except the writing of payrolls and the disbursing of checks. Included in the administration work were the writing of all projects, the general control, the purchasing of all materials. In the administration office were:

The Purchasing Agent

The Injury Clerk

Three clerks, men

Two clerks, women

Messenger

One Stenographer

In charge of the Administration Office was Mr. B. D. Crozier, whose services were contributed by the Civic Planning Committee.

In the Disbursing Office, where all payrolls were supervised and all checks made out and audited, were:

Two Payroll Supervisors

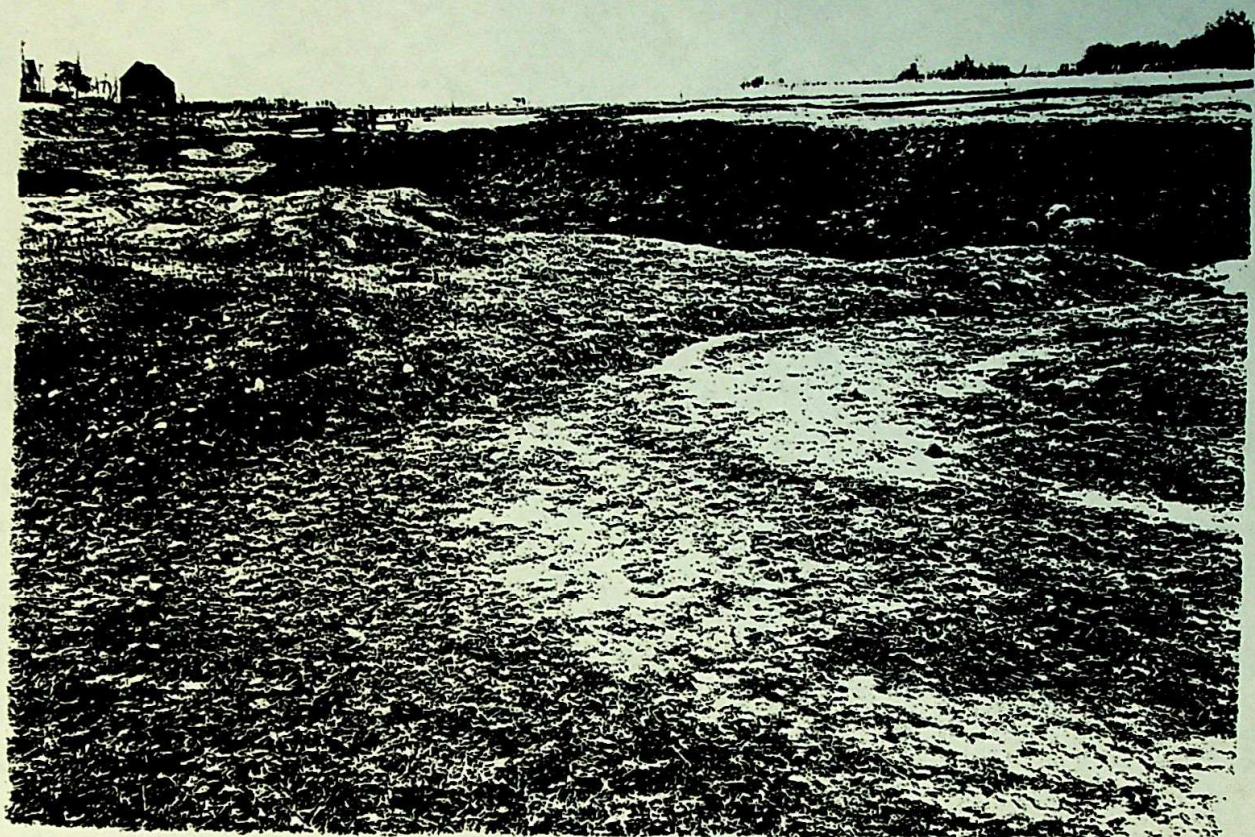
One Stenographer

Eleven Clerks and typists.

In charge of the Disbursing Office was Mr. George Hamann. This office wrote 41,996 checks, amounting to \$577,224.77, payable to approximately 3800 men on 1098 payrolls.

PROJECT #35 - PRINCETON : GRADE BALL PARK

The only convenient and available spot for a ball park in Princeton, and the spot which had been in use for that purpose for sometime, was, unfortunately, far from level, and very bumpy. This project consisted of preparing the field so as to make it more useful for its purpose, that is in doing a considerable amount of grading. A large mound of soil was cut down and carried in wheelbarrows to a low spot where it made a considerable fill, and field was generally leveled. The net result is a much improved ball park, and the town, incidentally, has already taken a greater interest than it had before, because of the improvement.

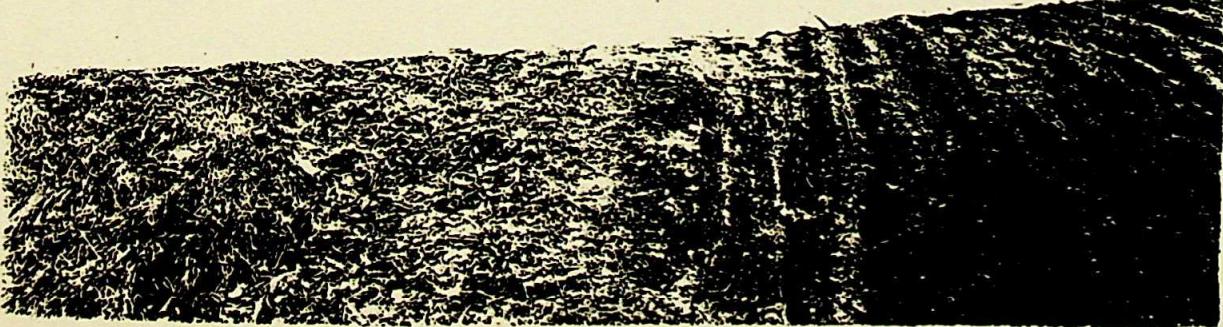
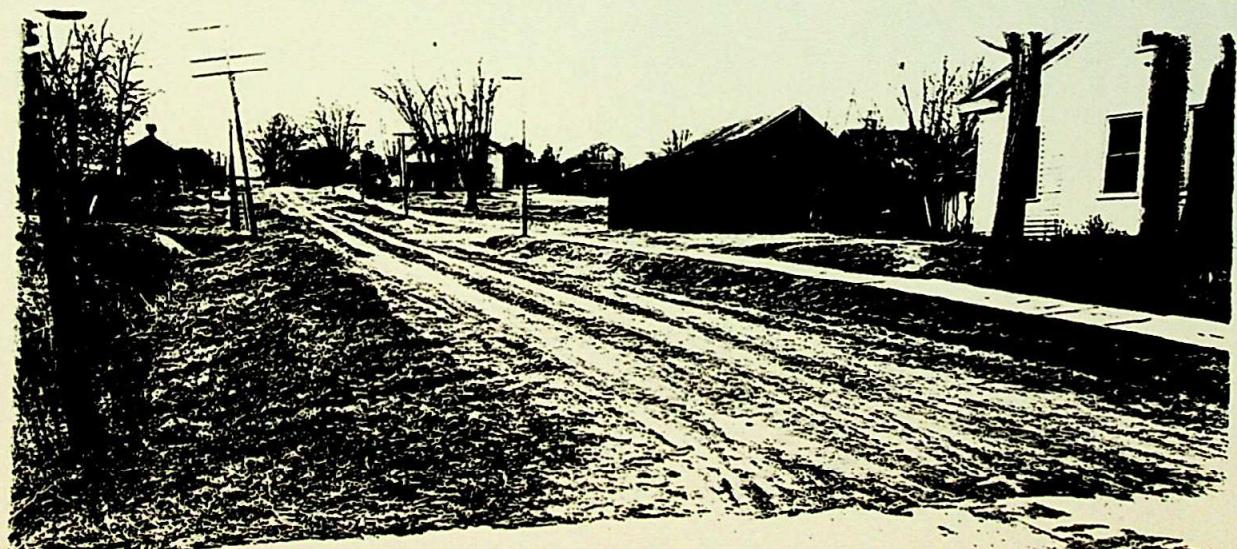


PROJECT #36 - PRINCETON : CLEAR, GRADE, AND  
DRAIN STREETS

At the east end of the town of Princeton, there is a small gravel pit owned by Scott County. Out of it was taken enough gravel to surface several streets in this town. While Princeton is not a large community, certain of its streets are fairly heavily traveled, and therefore, need a hard surface. This project changed mud roads, subject to weather conditions, into streets usable at all times.

PROJECT #36 2-1-34

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PROJECT #223 - PRINCETON: GRADE BALL PARK

STREET IMPROVEMENT

This project was the extension of Projects #35 and #36. The work consisted of further grading to level the town Baseball Park, erecting bleachers, and generally putting the field into condition.

The road surfacing was continued, and the condition of several streets was greatly improved.

PROJECT #223 3-14-34

LEFT: PRINCETON STONE QUARRY

RIGHT: BALL PARK



PROJECT #128 - PRINCETON : IMPROVE CITY HALL

The city hall in Princeton was in serious need of repair, and particularly of repainting. This project included the making of minor repairs and painting the building both inside and out. The work not only greatly improved the appearance of the hall, but also served to check weathering and to prevent the necessity of making much greater repairs in the future.

James D. Spina



6th - grade

Costas  
Bob Miller  
Margaret Rusanek  
Fred Kuznes  
Jane Cutman  
James Deprima  
—  
—

Mary Peck  
"Spazzy" Costas  
Nora Costas  
Lucien Janusikovich  
Ralph Tuckam  
Nick Kovachovich  
"Puffy" —



Found at  
Russ Litscher  
estate.

Possibly Clinton?  
or local one  
room school?



COTTON CONTENT



OLD STONE SCHOOL HOUSE about 1896

ISOPHENA POLLOCK, teacher

bottom row, second left, HAROLD WALKER

bottom row, third left, CHARLEY STAFFORD

top row, first left, ART DENNIS

top row, third left, CHARLEY SHAW

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HIGH SCHOOL. PRINCETON ILLA.



Miss Ruth Davis, teacher 1925  
John Kensinger  
LaVern  
Kenneth Thompson  
Walter Brown  
Alvin Burcamper  
Hattie Bickel  
Lila Rush  
Leona Martin  
Evelyn Howell  
Clarence Coffin  
Berniece Woomert  
Evelyn Ament  
Donald Ament  
Eugene Zimmerman  
Frank Groves  
Walter Schulz  
Beatrice Ament  
Ralph Freeman  
Laurence Nickelson  
Lois Suiter  
Caryl Jones  
Eloise Blocker  
Gladys Rudolph  
Mildred Shinn  
June Blocker  
Dorothy Cusick  
Evelyn Suiter  
Dorothea Woods  
Joyce Butterworth  
Thelma Tomkins

Miss Ruth Davis - teacher  
1925.  
John Kensinger, Eloise Blocker,  
LaVern, Gladys Rudolph,  
Kenneth Thompson, Mildred Shinn,  
Walter Brown, June Blocker,  
Alvin Burcamper, Dorothy Cusick,  
Hattie Bickel, Evelyn Suiter,  
Lila Rush, Dorothea Woods,  
Leona Martin, Joyce Butterworth,  
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September 22, 1954

THE WEEKLY NEWS

Four



GUESS WHO? We'll give you a clue — they are Princeton School graduating classes. These pictures were made available through the courtesy of Mrs. (Oops! I promised not to tell, to save life and limb.) Next week



a list of the names will be published. Out of respect for women's ages we may not name the year. (Seriously, let us know if you enjoy these pictures of "yesterday" and we will arrange to print others, from time to time.)

IN LAST WEEKS PICTURES

Pictures in last weeks issue were graduating classes of the Princeton School. Picture on the left - Ruth Freeman, Irene Shinn, Phyllis Groves, Waldo Jones, Charles Schulz, Daisy Rook Davis and Ethel Peitscher

McConnell, teacher. In the picture on the right: Bernice Fulton Fletcher, Elda Marie Peitscher Morgan, Florence Stichter McKenzie, Vera DuCray Doyle, Laura Suiter Holst, Fred Grams, Everett Shinn and Ethel Peitscher McConnell.

motored to West Liberty, Iowa, to see Mr. Lively's mother who fell and broke her arm.

The Willing Workers Class of the U. P. Church will hold their monthly meeting Thursday afternoon, September 23, at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Steele. The leader will be Mrs. Earl Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Aull are looking for a girl's name. The baby arrived Sunday morning at St. Luke's hospital. Gary Benson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benson, received notification and a check that he was one of the winners in the United Presbyterian Church National T

# TRADING POST

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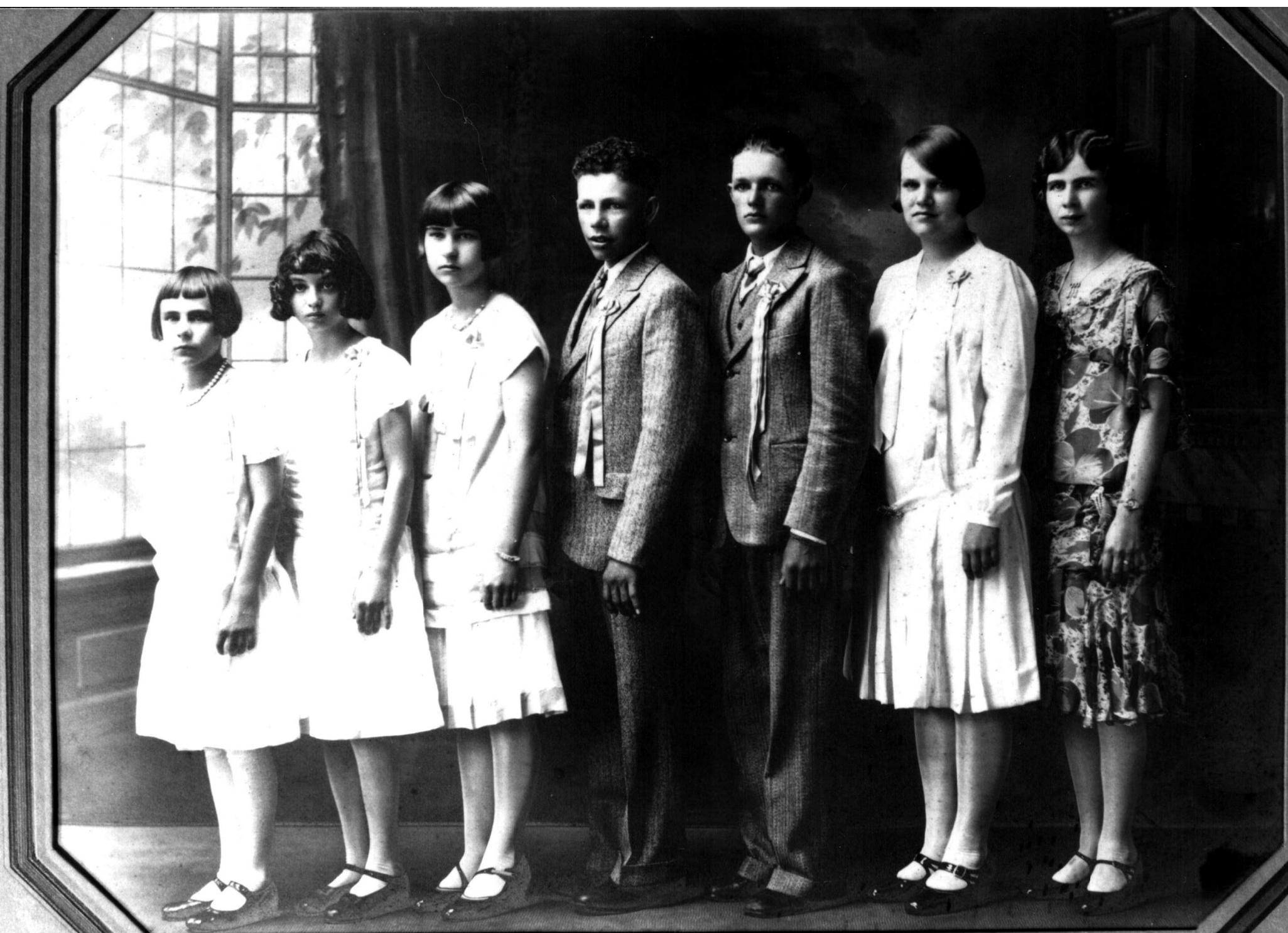
THE WEEKLY NEWS,  
Princeton, Iowa.

Please insert the advertisement, entered below, in the Community Trading Post of the (date) issue of The Weekly News.

RATES - Two cents per word,  
minimum fifty cents.

FOR SALE - 1948 KAISER  
GOOD SHAPE — CHEAP  
Shirley Chapman - Call Princeton 12 before 4 p.m. Call Davenport 58-3414 after 4:30.







Items loaned to  
me to copy.  
Alan Shaw copied  
pictures for me.



MRS. SIERK  
1958

(Bessie)



1st grade  
1957-58

MRS.  
Helble







From Ethel Ellsworth, May 1932

June Litscher  
Russ Litscher  
Hattie Bickel  
Helen and Edna Snack  
Rudolph girl  
Bud Camel  
Cub Schulz  
Coon boy







Princeton Public School  
1929.



Princeton. Public School.  
1939.





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FRONT - LORA CARTER - CLODENE BRUNSON - MARTHA SCHARFF -  
BETTY SAUNDERS - LEILA LONG - (BUTCH VOLRATH?) (DON'T KNOW) -  
TOM TILTON

SECOND - SHERYL HUSTON - CAROLYN VOLRATH - JANE FAUCETT -  
LOIS SHAW - PAUL HARRIS - BOB ELLIOTT - (DON'T KNOW)  
VAUGHN MARSDEN - WALDO JONES

BACK - JANICE WOLF - BEVERLY BURKAMPER - NANCY ELLIOTT -  
JOYCE LUND - PETER KRIEGER - DAVID BRUNSON - DICK  
DANNETT - NORVEL CLEMONS - RON HAMILTON -  
JOHN SUITER



LOCKERMAN  
121½ E. THIRD  
DAVENPORT.

GRADUATION CLASS OF 1934

June Litscher Princeton, Iowa

teacher: Ethel Ellsworth

# Certificate of Award -

This is to certify that

Russell Litscher

A pupil of the Public Schools of Scott County, Iowa,  
having received seven Monthly Certificates of Perfect  
Attendance for being

Neither Absent Nor Tardy

from school is commended for good attendance and  
punctuality, and is therefore entitled to this Testimonial.

Given at Davenport, Iowa, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 1932

Princeton School

in Princeton Township

Ethel Ellsworth Teacher

Harry N. Banze  
County Superintendent of Schools





Joerman  
DAVIDSON

Russell J. Litcher, Age 14.

Graduation Class of 1933.

Princeton - Iowa.

TEACHER: ETHEL ELLSWORTH

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GRADES—SEMESTER

# Public School Report



"I give my head, my hand, my heart to my Country.  
One Country, one Language, one Flag."

Pupil Merlin Ball

First Semester: Class ..... Grade ..... 2

Second Semester: Class ..... Grade .....

Year beginning Aug. 28 19.33

Ending May 11 19.34

Promoted to Class ..... Grade ..... 3

Pearl Brown Teacher

1. Be clean in person, dress, habits, thought and speech.
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Theo. C. Ressler  
Superintendent.

Metropolitan Supply Co., Cedar Rapids, Ia.—No. 1200

# ATTENDANCE AND REPORT OF MARKINGS

ATTENDANCE, DEPORTMENT AND STUDIES PURSUED	First Semester					Second Semester					General Average
	First Period	Second Period	Third Period	1st Sem. Exam.	Average	First Period	Second Period	Third Period	2nd Sem. Exam.	Average	
Deportment.....	80	80	80			85	85	85			85
Industry.....	80	85	85			85	85	85			85
Attention.....	80	80	85			85	85	85			85
Spirit.....											
Times Tardy.....											
Days Attendance.....	28	30	23 $\frac{1}{2}$			25	13 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$			
Days Absent.....			3 $\frac{1}{2}$			5	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$			
Orthography.....	98	91	97			97	95	99			98
Reading.....	80	85	85			90	95	97			90
Phonics.....											
Penmanship.....	75	80	80			85	85	85			85
Arithmetic.....	85	80	85			83	85	87			85
Geography.....											
Language or Grammar.....	80	80	80			85	90	90			90
Composition.....											
History.....											
Physiology.....											
Civics or Citizenship.....											
Music.....	75	80	80			80	80	80			80
Agriculture.....											
Manual Training.....											
Domestic Science.....											
Physical Education.....	85	85	85			85	85	85			85
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First Semester: Class..... Grade.....

Second Semester: Class..... Grade.....

Year beginning Aug. 27 1924  
Ending .....

Promoted to Class..... Grade.....

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Industry.....	90	90	90			90	90	90			90
Attention.....	85-	85-	85-			85	85	85-			85-
Spirit.....											
Times Tardy.....											
Days Attendance.....	26	15 $\frac{1}{2}$	19			19 $\frac{1}{2}$	29	16 $\frac{1}{2}$			125 $\frac{1}{2}$
Days Absent.....	3	14	7			10 $\frac{1}{2}$	1	12 $\frac{1}{2}$			48
Orthography.....	97	98	99			100	97	99			99
Reading.....	88	90	93			95	95	93			95
Phonics.....											
Penmanship.....	87	87	87			87	87	87			87
Arithmetic.....	83	85	86			90	93	95			92
Geography.....	85-	87	85-			88	90	90			89
Language or Grammar.....	90	90	90			93	92	94			93
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Mildred Strong

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First Semester: Class ..... Grade ..... 4

Second Semester: Class ..... Grade .....

Year beginning Sept. 3, 1935

Ending May 15, 1936

Promoted to Class ..... Grade ..... 5

Mildred Strong Teacher

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	First Period	Second Period	Third Period	1st Sem. Exam.	Average	First Period	Second Period	Third Period	2nd Sem. Exam.	Average	
Department.....	80	85	86			85	83	86			
Industry.....	80	85	90			90	90	90			
Attention.....	70	74	80			85	85	87			
Spirit.....											
Times Tardy.....											
Days Attendance.....	29	29	28½			27	26	29			
Half-Days Absent.....						6	8	1			
.....											
Orthography.....	97	98	99			95	99	100			98
Reading.....	87	83	85			87	90	90			87
Phonics.....											
Penmanship.....	77	82	85			89	88	86			85
Arithmetic.....	86	86	85			91	87	85			87
Geography.....	83	86	89			87	85	86			86
Language or Grammar.....	82	86	80			88	85	87			85
Composition.....											
History.....											
Physiology.....											
Civics or Citizenship.....											
Music.....	75	75	80			80	80	80			
Agriculture.....											
Manual Training.....											
Domestic Science.....											
Physical Education.....	80	82	85			85	86	88			
Drawing.....	74	75	80			82	83	82			
.....											
											88

Markings { ..... to ..... to ..... to ..... to ..... to ..... Required Av. Minimum }

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2 *Verda*

3 Mrs. H. W. Boll

4 Mrs. H. W. Boll

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GRADES—SEMESTER

## Public School Report



"I give my head, my hand, my heart to my Country.  
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Pupil Merlin Boll

First Semester: Class ..... Grade ..... 6

Second Semester: Class ..... Grade .....

Year beginning Aug. 30, 19.37  
Ending ..... 19

Promoted to Class ..... Grade ..... 7

Ruth Gauntay Teacher

1. Be clean in person, dress, habits, thought and speech.
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Department.....	B	B-	B-	B-	B	B	B	B+	B	B	B
Industry.....											
Attention.....											
Spirit.....											
Times Tardy.....											
Days Attendance.....											
Half-Days Absent.....											
.....											
Orthography.....	A-	B	B	B	A-	B	B	B	B	B	B
Reading.....	C+	B-	B	B-	C+	C+	B	B	B-	B-	B
Phonics.....											
Penmanship.....	B-	B-	B	B-	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
Arithmetic.....	B-	B-	C-	B-	B+	B+	B	B	B	B	B
Geography.....	C	C	B	B-	B	A-	B	B	B	B	B
Language or Grammar.....	B-	D	D+	C-	C	B-	B-	B-	B-	B	C
Composition.....											
History.....	C-	C	C	C	B+	B	B	B-	B	B	B
Physiology.....	C+	C	B-	C+	B	B	C	B	B-	B-	B
Civics or Citizenship.....											
Music.....											
Agriculture.....											
Manual Training.....											
Domestic Science.....											
Physical Education.....	A	B	B	B	B	B	B	B+	B	B	B
Drawing.....	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
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Markings { Sup. Good Average Poor Failure Required Av. Minimum

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Pupil Merrine Boll

First Semester: Class ..... Grade 7

Second Semester: Class ..... Grade .....

Year Beginning August 29, 1938

Ending May 12, 1939

Promoted to Class ..... Grade 8

Anna M. Pennington Teacher

1. Be clean in person, dress, habits, thought and speech.
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Department.....	C	C	B			C	C	C			
Industry.....											
Attention.....											
Spirit.....											
Times Tardy.....											
Days Attendance.....	28	28	28			37 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	25	29			
Half-Days Absent.....						5	10	2			
.....											
Orthography.....	C	B	B			a	a	a			
Reading.....	B	B	B			B	a	a			
Phonics.....											
Penmanship.....	C	C	C			C	C	C			
Arithmetic.....	B	B	B			B	a	B			
Geography.....	B	B	B			B	B	B			
Language or Grammar.....	C	B	a			a	a	B			
Composition.....											
History.....	B	B	a			B	a	a			
Physiology.....	C	C	B			C	C	B			
Civics or Citizenship.....	B	C	B			C	C	C			
Music.....											
Agriculture.....	C	C	B			C	C	B			
Manual Training.....											
Domestic Science.....	B	B	B			B	B	B			
Physical Education.....	B	B	B			B	B	B			
Drawing.....	B	B	B			B	B	B			
Literature.....	B	B	B			B	B	B			

Required Av. Minimum

Markings	<i>a</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>C</i>	<i>D</i>	<i>F</i>	
	Superior	Good	Average	Poor	Failure	

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GRADES—SEMESTER

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Pupil. Merlin Boll .....

First Semester: Class..... Grade..... 8

Second Semester: Class..... Grade.....

Year beginning Sept. 5, 1939

Ending May 17, 1940

Promoted to Class 9 Grade.....

Anna M. Remington Teacher

1. Be clean in person, dress, habits, thought and speech.
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Industry.....											
Attention.....											
Spirit.....											
Times Tardy.....											
Days Attendance.....	28	29	24			22	29	29			
Half-Days Absent.....	1	4				13	2	1			
.....											
Orthography.....	B	a	a			a	a	a			
Reading.....	B	C	C			B	B	B			
Phonics.....											
Penmanship.....	B	C	C			C	C	C			
Arithmetic.....	A	B	B			B	B	B			
Geography.....	A	A	A			a	a	a			
Language or Grammar.....	B	B	A			a	a	a			
Composition.....											
History.....	a	a	a			B	a	a			
Physiology.....	a	A	A			D	a	a			
Civics or Citizenship.....	a	B	B			B	a	a			
Music.....											
Agriculture.....	B	B	B			a	a	a			
Manual Training.....											
Domestic Science.....											
Physical Education.....	B	B	B			B	B	B			
Drawing and Art.....		C	C			C	C	C			
Literature.....	B	B	B			B	B	C			
Band.....						B	B	B			

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H. S.—SEMESTER

# Public School Report

## HIGH SCHOOL



"I give my head, my hand, my heart to my Country.  
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Pupil. *Mervin Boll*

First Semester: Class ..... Grade *9<sup>th</sup>*

Second Semester: Class ..... Grade

Year beginning *Sept 2* 19 *40*

Ending *May* 19 *41*

Promoted to Class ..... Grade *10*

*P. K. Barnhill* Teacher

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Department.....	B	A1	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Industry.....	B	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A
Times Tardy.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Days Attendance.....	28	29	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	82 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	85 $\frac{1}{2}$	168
Half-Days Absence.....	0	1	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	5	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	7
Arithmetic.....									
Geography.....									
World History.....	B	A	B	B	B	C	B	B	
History.....									
Physiology.....									
Algebra.....	B	A	B	B+	B	A	B	B	B
Rhetoric.....									
Latin.....									
French.....									
Geometry.....									
Bookkeeping.....									
Botany.....									
English Literature.....	B	B	B	B	C	C+	C	C	C
Physics.....									
Civil Gov't.....									
General Science.....									
Economics.....									
Music.....									
Agriculture.....									
Domestic Science.....									
Manual Training.....	B	C	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
Business.....	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
Phys. Ed. ....	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
Period Averages.....									

Required Av. Minimum

Markings	A	B	C	D	F	Required Av. Minimum
Suspicion	Good	Average	Poor	Failing		

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H. S.—SEMESTER

# Public School Report

## HIGH SCHOOL



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Pupil. Martin Ball

First Semester: Class. 10 Grade. 10

Second Semester: Class. 10 Grade. 10

Year beginning Sept 2 1941

Ending May 15 1942

Promoted to Class. 11 Grade. 11

R. K. Barnhill Teacher

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Superintendent.

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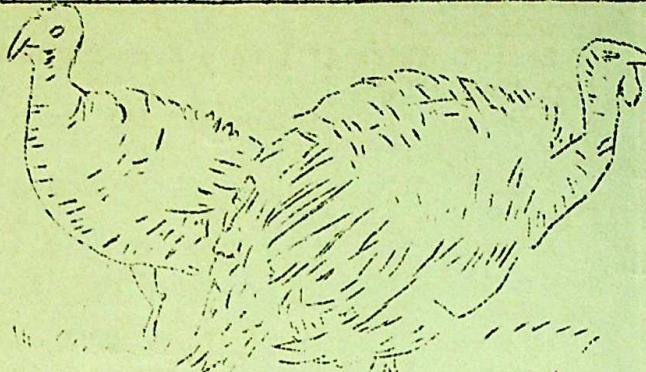
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Industry.....	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
Times Tardy.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2		
Days Attendance.....	27	28	23	78	25	25	25	25	75		
Half-Days Absence.....	1	1	3	5	3½	4½	1	1	7		
Arithmetic.....											
Geography.....											
History.....											
History.....											
Physiology.....											
Algebra.....											
Rhetoric.....											
Latin.....											
French.....											
Geometry.....	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
Bookkeeping.....											
Botany.....											
Literature.....	B	B	C	B	B	B	C	B	B	B	B
Physics.....											
Civil Gov't.....											
General Science.....	C	B	B	B	C	B	C	C	C	C	C
Economics.....	A	B	C	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
Music.....	Geography	Bookkeeping									
Music.....	B	A	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
Agriculture.....											
Domestic Science.....											
Manual Training.....	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B
Period Averages.....											

Markings { A Superior B Good Average C Poor D Fail F Failure Required Av. Minimum \_\_\_\_\_

# BROADCASTER

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-----WE'RE OFF-----  
FOR HOMECOMING

Is there anything more important now than home-coming? There shouldn't be, and as far as the high school body is concerned, I believe every student is wrapped up in it as much as the gym is going to be in decorations and the atmosphere of a happy time on the 24th.

In case you didn't all know, these are the things that are going to constitute the program.

The first thing on the list is the ceremony honoring the Queen, Arline Rinebold. She will be escorted to her throne by the Pep Club and crowned by the B.B.Captain Roland Moore.

The Pep Club is going to be out to show everyone just how much spirit is going to back up our teams this year. They have new outfits in green and white. And they are under the leadership of two girls who have already shown their capability of undertaking their jobs, Hilda and Ethel. They will give drills between games to honor the alumni and Calamus.

The climax of the evening will come in the half of the boy's game, when the drawing will be made for the turkey. It will be a big one, weighing between 15 and 18 pounds. In order for everyone to hear the number drawn, Mr. Long has chosen Babe Vance to be the drawer, and he'll see to it that everyone hears the decision.

A crowd of 300 or more is expected, so let's all do our part and see that the gym is well filled.

For alumni only: This event is being put on to stimulate your interest in an Alumni Clut. You are going to be our honored guests, and will be given a souvenier when you register at the door. Miss Fulton and Miss Miller are in charge. Mrs. Hulet will serve pie and coffee to you as a Homecoming treat.

Last but not least, to every high school student, remember what Mr. Kurth said about our conduct toward the alumni and before our homecoming crowd.

## B A S K E T B A L L

Nov. 24	Calamus	H	B&G
28	Matherville	H	B
	A. I. C.	H	G
Dec. 5	Lyons	T	B
8	Durant	H	B&G
12	Lowden	H	B&G
15	Atkinson	T	B
	Goose Lake	T	G
19	Dewitt	H	B
	Goose Lake	H	G
22	Buffalo	H	B&G
Jan. 3	St. Ambrose	T	B
5	Durant	T	B&G
9	Lowden	T	B&G
12	Atkinson	H	B
	Buffalo	H	G
16	Bennett	H	B&G
19	St. Ambrose	H	B
	Charlotte	H	G
23	Matherville	T	B
26	Buffalo	T	G
27	Hillsdale	T	B
30	Dewitt	T	B
	Charlotte	T	G
Feb. 3	Reynolds	T	B
6	Bennett	T	B&G
9	Buffalo	T	B&G
10	Hillsdale	H	B

12-13-14-15-16 Girl's Sectional  
29-1-2 Boy's Sectional

## A Bit of the Old Spirit

We have twenty-one games scheduled for the boys this season and have a few new competitors. Let's treat them as our guests rather than our enemies. If we treat them as our guests, we may be able to schedule them again next season. To make this a real homecoming, what do you say that you come and show your spirit for the teams of Le Claire High and cheer them?

We are pretty proud of the new shirts so let's help out the boys and be present this night. The first team of the boys have new trunks also.

## SNOOPY SISTERS

After stretching our noses all over town we found out the following odd facts:

A light was seen burning in the upstairs of the Kurth home early one morning. Is it possible they sleep with the light on?

Mr. Gross has a mania for pulling down shades. Is it force of habit?

It seems the juniors are rather lazy. Mrs. Juliet had to make almost all the posters for the play.

Mr. Long saves old things for rugs. Who makes them, Mr. Long, you, your wife, or the Olson Rug Company?

Miss Nelson thinks that Pep Club really argues.

The gale from the north brings tidings about a graduate of L.C.H.S. Bud Heldt is at the Great Lakes! In training school he reports, "Truthfully, I don't think there's anything better." He expects to be transferred to Panama or Hawaii in about 6 weeks.

And not much snooping tells us that a storm or something is brewing in the Psychology class, among the members.

Now we put our noses to the grindstone and scoop around till next time.

LAST MINUTE FLASH! What latest fashion book is it that you take, Ethel?

\* \* \* \* \*

Mrs. Maffit: What is your favorite hymn, daughter?

Ethel: The one you chased out of the yard last night.

## SENIOR NEWS

### Typical quotations . . .

Mr. Kurth: "Mrs. Kurth and I have a terrible time with our twenty-one kids."

Aaron: "I think Einstein is a very smart man. Wonder if I'll ever catch up with him."

Leo: "I think I'll be a bachelor and fool them all."

Harvey: "I don't know if I'm Romeo or not, but I've found my Juliet."

Cecil: "I'm not choosy. Anything I get to eat is okay by me."

Roland: "No wonder Norma can get a good-looking boy-friend, she's pretty good-looking herself."

Eugene: "I intend to be a great artist some day. I know I can make it."

Ila: "If you think our class is dignified, just try toning them down in class meeting."

Arline: "Being queen is sure a tough job. I hear they're going to crown me."

Mary L.: "I'm forever shooting baskets."

Ruth J.: "Gosh, Ed, I wish you weren't so tall!"

Dorothy: "I wouldn't mind being secretary to a tall, handsome man."

Alberta: "I wish that boyfriend of mine would shave smoother. He makes my chin all rough."

Georgetta: "I like to giggle! So what?"

Verneil: "It's darned tough having a brother in school to carry tales home."

Evelyn: "I like older men."

Faith: "Tee hee!"

Ruth O.: "Tee hee! Isn't that an awful habit? I caught it from Faith."

Frances: "I may not be at the top of the class, but I have my own ideas."

Wilma: "Every time Casey kisses me the shivers go up and down my back. Can this be love?"

Julia: "Hi, honey, how's tricks? Everything's okay with me."

Mary J.: "This blushing is certainly embarrassing business. My face gets so red!"

Bounce: "Woof, woof, never again will I eat dead fish. It destroys my canine appeal."

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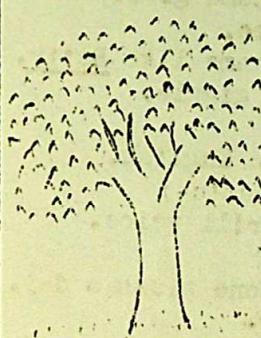
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## SOPHOMORES

Can you imagine?

Mary C.- without her pretty red hair.

Phyllis-not knowing all the answers.

Robert B-a rival of Charlie McCarthy.

Marvene-with a cross look.

Gertrude-with make-up.

Helen B.-talkative.

Norma-not good in sports.

Seima-talking so that she can be heard.

Babe-knowing what's going on in English.

Lucille-a quiet stay-at-home girl.

Clyde-a perfect attendance.

Priscilla-with a simple name like Betty.

Hilda-without that silly giggle.

Howard-short and fat.

Flora-not day-dreaming in English.

Bud-tall.

Jeanette-without that shrill voice.

Bill-not teasing Flora.

Loreta-without at least one blush a day.

The Perfect Sophomore Boy-

Physique-----Babe

Eyes-----David

Teeth-----Tony

Hair-----Clyde

Cleverness-----Leo P.

We have been wondering if Crystal Hall is a girl or just another public place, what about it Clyde?

Say what's this I hear about Norma going in for bargains? (With a little of Priscilla's help)

Around the Sophomores' Thanksgiving Table. With the president seated at the head, and the sponsor at the foot. The president speaks--

Clyde-I'm thankful that the girls haven't realized that I've handed them all the same line.

Mary C-I'm thankful that I've kept Harvey out of circulation so long.

Bud-I'm thankful that mom can write words like me.

Loreta-I'm thankful Bill's got a car.

William-I'm thankful that my tooth is better.

Priscilla-I'm thankful that I have no boy friends to worry over.

Joe-I'm thankful the girls let me alone this year.

Selma-I'm thankful I get away with chewing gum every day.

(Cont'd-)

## Sophomore news cont'd-

Walter-I'm thankful I don't have to answer questions any time.

Jeanette-I'm thankful Leo has been sitting with me in Literature class.

Mildred-I'm thankful I can move from Hilda in Geometry class.

Gertrude-I'm thankful my brother takes me out so I can tell it in Speech.

Bob B-I'm thankful I'm short so big boys can't sock me.

Rozella-I'm thankful that I can put lipstick on in school.

Howard-I'm thankful that I'm smart in Geometry.

Mr. Gross-I'm thankful we have a new high school teacher.

Helen-I'm glad I don't get demerits.

Tony-I'm thankful my dad has forgotten about the car.

Marvene-When I look at the rest of the Sophomores, I'm thankful I'm quiet.

Bill-I'm thankful someone keeps marking in Flora's note-book.

Flora-I'm thankful that Bill M. doesn't take what's going on too serious.

Babe-I'm thankful the rabbits know which way to run now.

Norma-I'm thankful Roland is a good dancer.

David-I'm thankful I have my own way this year.

Hilda-I'm thankful I sat next to Junior today.

Junior-I'm thankful Hilda winks back at me in class.

Lucille-I'm thankful I have friends in Davenport.

Leo-I'm thankful I'm last--Pass the turkey.

## FRESHMEN

Not that Freshmen don't ask enough questions, but why--

Does Melba like Cecil N. so well.

Does Jack try to show off.

Does Barbara like Babe so well.

Does Edward wink at Miss Nelson.

Does Florence think she's so smart.

Does Herman act so bashful.

Does Maxine like Frankenstein.

Does Mr. Kurth know just the right thing to say just then.

Does Miss Nelson go to Galesburg every week-end.

## JUNIORS

Ask E M and L B how they enjoyed their ride home Monday night after practice.

We missed I E from the group Monday night. Could she have been nurse-maid? Who was the redhead W S had? Could it have been A B?

What Junior girl always proceeds to ask questions with Hey.

We Juniors are more than pleased with the success our play was last Friday. As everyone probably knows we are sorry that it is over, for we had loads of fun at the practices.---Or was it after? But now with a sigh and a groan we will settle down once more to studies.

## We wonder Y

Irene and a certain blond ran out of gas the other night?

Betty could not come to practice one night.

Louie thinks the Pep Club will be good this year.

NOTICE: To those that didn't know that wearing shirt tails out isn't the style any more.

NOTICE: That was just a rumor. A smart girl looked it up and it still is in style.

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Here's to the teachers,  
Long may they live,  
Even as long as  
The lessons they give.

Science is wonderful. It couldn't pry open the pullman windows, so it air-conditioned the cars.

Mr. Gross: When did the revival of learning start?

Cecil S: Just before exams.

Swede: Have you seen any change in me?

Charles: No, why?

Swede: I just swallowed fifteen cents.

Kate V: I see you cup of tea on a chair. That's a peculiar place to put it.

Frances S: Not at all it's so weak I put it there to rest.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Regina Cassilly we are giving a list of the graduates of Le Claire High School.

Class of 1878      Fred J Lavender, Prin.  
Will Dodds      Harry Hale  
Henry Gable      Ella McGraw Johnson

Class of 1879      John T Marvin, Prin.  
Maria McGraw, Kate Manley Rolfs  
Lola Doughty, Annie Newton Osborn,  
Ella Davis, Harry van Duzer, Lizzie Bard Blair, Stella Young Trombley,  
Kate Moore Wells

Class of 1880      J A Homes, Prin.  
Robert Rathman, Albert Rathman,  
Hugo Becker, Waldo Becker, Will Pollock,  
Allie Schworm, Gus Lames, Minnie Stone,  
Elnora Stone, Ada Bard, William Laycock.

Class of 1881      Eliot Hamilton, Prin.  
Nell Stevens Dawley, Louisa Lambach,  
Walter Penry, Harry Werner, Millie Moore, Joseph Penry, Claus Rolfs,  
Grant Hulet, Henry Rolfs, J A Hanley,  
Will Hanley, Dewitt Owen, Chas Owen,  
Clyde Stacey, Odessa Hileman, Mary Lames, Hattie Pike, Millie Penry,  
Lizzie Huntington, Frank Suiter.

Class of 1882      Elliot Hamilton, Prin.  
Hilda Becker, Carrie Johnson Theleman,  
Emma Gable, Fannie Bard, Lillie Helbourne Watson, Augusta Gast Schworm,  
Gertrude Dawley, Eloise Hartford Schmit,  
Allie James Bronner, Theresa Meyer Silver, Carrie Edwards Birchard,  
Adeline Isherwood Becker, Sarah Clark Hamilton, Elizabeth Stevens Morey.

Class of 1883      Class of 1884  
No Graduates

Class of 1885      W D Wells, Prin.  
Genevieve Isherwood  
Anna O'Neil, Nell Elliott

Class of 1886      W D Wells, Prin.  
Lillian Moore, Annette Bard, Anna E. Barrett Farber, Clarence Hileman,  
Dora Massmann, Margaret T Feehan Disney.

Class of 1887	W D Wells, Prin.	Class of 1900	A W Tschantz, Prin.
Winnie Twiesel, Mary A Senthause, Ella M Wright, Lulu McKuen, Mae Hil- bourne, Mary C Rolfs Shuck, Jennie Morse.		Pearl Long, Harry Long, Alice Lan- caster, Harvey Hopson, Isabel Coe Marcey, Daniel Toher.	
Class of 1888	W D Wells, Prin.	Class of 1901	S M Coddington, Prin.
Claire McKuen Day, Alice Huntington, Alving Lames Mark, Winifred Johnson, Belle Barnes Barker.		Harriet Davenport Shaver, Sadie Leamer, Louis Tuber, Lillie Maxwell Hammond.	
Class of 1889	No Graduates	Class of 1902	J F Ogden, Prin.
		Lottie Chambers Alberts, Helen Trombley Von Hain, Helen Rathman Ogden, Elizabeth Riley.	
Class of 1890	V L Dodge, Prin.	Class of 1903	E W B Mark, Prin.
Agnes Dodds Covington, Frank Vogler, Dora Litscher Swan, Emma Twiesel, Lida Graham Cunningham, Nancy B Feehan Christensen, Jacob Vogler, Minnie Bagley Young, Grace Fowler Rathman, Carrie Stacey, John Barrett.		Anna Pollock Suiter, Alice Stocker	
Class of 1891	No Graduates	Class of 1904	E W B Mark, Prin.
		William Suiter, Louise Williams, Elanore Johnson Russell, Catherine Fletcher Birney, Jessie Averill Norton.	
Class of 1892	A E Baker, Prin.	Class of 1905	No Graduates
Lillie Sargent Parmlee, Nona Lancaster Fedderson, Grace Suiter Bartine, John F Suiter, Helen C Dawley, Charles E LeBuhn.		Class of 1906	A I Naumann, Prin.
Class of 1893	No Graduates	Paul Lambach, Norma Werner Ball, Irene Stone, Frank Clark, Alta Foster Peet, Frank Maxwell, Olive Suiter McWilliams.	
Class of 1894	No Graduates	1907---Class of	A I Nauman, Prin.
Class of 1895	W C Hicks, Prin.	Bess Moore, Vera Johnson Carleton, Grace Heard Blaine, Mae Newton Fulton, Leola Laycock Kramer.	
May Irwin Speer, Lois Wilson McLaughlin, Mary Toher.		Class of 1908	A I Nauman, Prin.
Class of 1896	C W Bartine, Prin.	B M VanDuzer Fries, Helen Johnson Lowe, Grace Hileman, Olevia Parker Cewe, Catherine Miller, Bessie Senthause, Laura Chassell, Clara Chassell.	
Fannie Barnes Bissick, Mattie Fernald, Roy Fernald, Bertha Lamback Sweeney, Lottie Scott, Charles Meyer, Roy Fry, Sylvester Sargaent.		Class of 1909	A I Nauman, Prin.
Class of 1897	C W Bartine, Prin.	Hazel Averill Mace, Frank Laycock, F G Meyer, Lucile Schaedler Clark, Regina Disney Cassilly, May Chambers.	
James Suiter		Class of 1910	H O Rowland, Prin.
Class of 1898	No Graduates	Alfred Miller, Grace Fraser Voss, Fred Stedman.	
Class of 1899	A W Tschantz, Prin.		
Lou Graham Lafrenz, Lottie Graham, Bessie Smith Murray, Clara Hopson, Ella Morey Stichter, Maud B Fry, Hilda Rathman Gardner.			

Class of 1911	Wm. Plymire, Prin. Theodore Snow, Julia Kelley Stedman, Jennie Kelley.	Class of 1923	C. Stedding, Irln. Percie Cunningham Ryan, Mary Winrow McKinney, Margaret Winrow, Marguerite Toher Arney, Florine Hamilton Speer, Esther McFate, Blanche Thompson Roller Marie Long LeBuhn, Margaret Kunkleman Fletcher, Esther Havill Dodds.
Class of 1912	G E Henry, Prin. Ruth Roller Mangles, Lillian Bagley, Joe Pollock, Mae Suiter.	Class of 1924	Burlingmair, Prin. Gladys Elliott Hamilton, Leila Stichter Randolph, Erma Smith Randolph, Mary McKinney, Jennie Martin Kessler, Roland Speer, Marvin Johnston, James McKinney, Earl Wilson.
Class of 1913	Floyd Lords, Prin. Claude C Brown, Harold Wilson, Raymond Reiter.	Class of 1925	V.A.Niles, Supt. Olive Brown, Florence Bissick Morey, Alice Hickey Thompson, Erma Kennedy, Brainard Richards, Geneva Scott, Howard Speer, Alta Suiter.
Class of 1914	Floyd Lords, Prin. Ina Long Litscher, Lelah Kirby Copley, Clara Twiesel Rainstadler, Harold Lancaster, Merle E Cassilly, William C Goldschmidt, Roy H Suiter, Emma Landt.	Class of 1926	B.C.Fowler, Supt. Leola Brown, Alice Boege Pries, Louis Clark, LeRoy Domer, Alice Hesse Watkins, Ralph Hanna, Fannie Muzzy, Leonard Phillips, Lee Speer, Lois Suiter Luetke, Alma Stewart, Henry Winrow.
Class of 1915	No Graduates	Class of 1927	B.C.Fowler, Supt. Charles Bowker, Howard Bowker, Mildred Haessler, Lila Hoff, Margaret Richards, Irene Roller, Olive Suiter Everett Sidlinger.
Class of 1916	C E Cooper, Prin. Marie Meyer, Lois Michael Miles, Gladys Teeter Rynott, Nellie Bagley, Bernice Bissick, Clark Hileman, Percy Hulet, Raymond Clark, Mildred Smith, R D Snow.	Class of 1928	B. C. Fowler, Supt. Clara Boege Benson, John Buchheit, Frank Freeman, Charles Graap, Florence Heldt, Cyril Johnston, Cecil Muzzy, Harold McKinney, Charles San- ford, Wilhelmine Pries Johnston, Bernice Watkins.
Class of 1917	Jordan, Prin. Robert Suiter, Luverne Meyer, Kirk Lancaster, Louis Meyer.	Class of 1929	B. C. Fowler, Supt. Dorothy Crawford Bowker, Clover Fletcher Bucks, Alice Haessler, Hilda Long, Helen Long, Lila Miller, William McEniry, Aleta Pitsenbarger, Ruth Ryan, John Suiter, Alice Spinsby.
Class of 1918	Jordan, Prin. Thelma Rippie Day, Stella Kirby Copley, Hazel Brown Radcliffe, Isabel Ryan.	Class of 1930	M.K. Jessup, Supt. Elizabeth Clark, Laura Dreschler, Myrtle Ehlers, Gertrude Freeman, Sidney Muzzy, Viola Pitcher, Guinevere Snow Fock, Elva Scharff Lively, Donald Scharff, Elizabeth Thompson, Rodger Weismann.
Class of 1919	Fee, Prin. Lucile Wilson Spies, Grace Suiter Van Duzer.		
Class of 1920	Leo Graham, Prin. Luella Bowker, Clara Fecker Clark, Alma Hamilton Bowker, Dorothy Henry, Mildred Speer Benson, J J Ryan, Ed J Thompson.		
Class of 1921	Leo J.Graham,Prin. Lillian Benson, Thelma Parish, Emma Hass, Elanore Cassilly, Irene Kunkleman Johnson, Laurence Shannon.		
Class of 1922	Dole, Prin. Roy Jugenheimer, Dorothy Boege, Rose Mansfield Brown, Ida Bowker, Veva Benson Domer, Edith Graham.		

Class of 1931 M. K. Jessup, Supt.  
Dorothy Fickel, Estella Hoff,  
Jeanette Heldt, Elnora Johansen,  
Floyd Kirby, Earl McGinnis, Louis  
Niemeyer, Margaret Sidlinger Arm-  
strong, Donna Scharff, Inez Shinn,  
Vera Speer Nissen, Violet Watkins  
Suiter.

Class of 1932 M.K.Jessup, Supt.  
Audrey Abbott Ditmer, Albert  
Boege, Oscar Bowker, Wilber Cewe,  
Grace Crawford, Ralph Clark, Bessie  
Domer Muzzy, Violet Fletcher,  
Mildred Gast Woomert, Anna Hartz,  
Frances HenryMiller, Everett Hoff,  
Hazel Moore Harman, Kathly Meyer  
Parrick, Erwin Pries, Mary Suiter  
B rachett, Marion Speer Roberts,  
Laura Suiter Holst.

Class of 1933 M.K.Jessup, Supt.  
Raymond Brown, Mabel Dreschler,  
LaVerne Grams, Orville Hesse, Helen  
Kirby, Lester Kruse, Evelyn Kram-  
beck, Marie Livingston, Inez Meyer  
Holmes, Ernest Mess, Lucile McFate,  
Roaine Nesbitt Ehlers, Daisy Rook,  
Vivian Shannon, Irene Shinn, Anton  
Toft, C.E.Thompson, Jr., Martin  
Vance, Elizabeth Whitney.

Class of 1934 M.K.Jessup, Supt.  
Harold Auliff, Leonard Brown,  
Catherine Ballard, Elmer Brown,  
LeRoy Cewe, James Hammill, Jr.,  
William Moffit, Jr., Clara Rath,  
Gladys Shannon, Helen Schurr,  
George Weismann, Harold Woomert.

Class of 1935 M.K.Jessup,Supt.  
Albert Moore, Edith Toft Schmaltz,  
Eldon Mess, Howard Brown, Ruth  
Fulton, Hazel Hartz, Dale Domer,  
Alvin Hoff, Katherine Newton Brown,  
Marie McGinnis, Olive McWilliams  
Knapper, Donald Youngers, John  
Hammill, Richard Jahn, Harriet  
Whitney.

Class of 1936 A.B. Long, Supt.  
Dorothy Stichter, Ruth Barney,  
Alberta Scharff, Violet Moore  
Hoff, Mildred Osborne, Charles  
Clark, Albert Ahlgren, Richard  
Mess, Robert Mess, Horace Kirby,  
J. Colleen Thomas, Willard Stuff.

Class of 1937 A. B. Long, Supt.  
Elmer Burkamper, Frank Martin,  
Mildred Schurr, Jeanette Ehlers,  
Marion Johansen, E. Lawrence McFate,  
Russell Litscher, Howard Kruse,  
Marie Maag, Elda Jahn, Evelyn  
Lively, Louis McWilliams, Clark  
Moore.

Class of 1938 A. B. Long, Supt.  
Mildred Ballard, Vivienne Clark  
Angell, Arthur Gilbert, Gladys  
Krueger, Eleanor Kruse, Velma  
Maher, Donald Manning, Ralph Pries,  
John Rynott, Dorothy Speer Dooley,  
Berniece Woomert, Edward Youngers,  
Cecil Domer, Mildred Shinn.

Class of 1939 A.B. Long, Supt.  
Hazel Jack, Henry Clark,  
Maxine Fawcett, Marie Haessler,  
Paul Hammill, Beulah Swigart,  
John Moffit, Marion Holst,  
LeGrand Heldt, LaVerne Mess,  
Elaine Johnson, Frances Hoff  
Forrest Johnston, Mable Roberts,  
Russell Olson.

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The origin of O.K.

More than a century ago the best tobacco and the best rum came from Aux Cayes (pronounced O K), and the best of anything was designated as Aux Cayes, or O.K. This meaning of the phrase is still retained. In the Jackson campaign every lie that could be invented was used to blacken the general's character and all statements endorsing him were called O.K. using the general's customary indorsement of papers as "oll kerrect." The Democrats took up this statement and put the mystic letters upon their banners. The meaning "all correct" stuck to the letters, and since then they have been used in the two meanings of "the best" and "all right."

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Usher: How far down do you want to sit, Madam?

Fat Lady: Why, as far down as the seat goes, of course.

Yours, etc., Elmer Ellsworth

Top <sup>3</sup> Walt Brown - Ross Gitterer  
Herb Kautopp - George Parrish  
<sup>4</sup> Aaron Randolph - Fume Gitterer

Felted Root <sup>2</sup>  
<sup>3</sup> Evelyn Gitterer - Elmer Flamm <sup>5</sup>  
<sup>6</sup> Dorothy Cressel - Ethelreda Gitterer <sup>7</sup>  
<sup>9</sup> Evelyn Skell <sup>10</sup> Mildred Skinner



Blocker  
Ethel Ellsworth

# Left Picture 1932

Top <sup>3</sup> Walt Brown - June Litscher  
Herb Lestroffer - George Parrish  
Aaron Randolph - June Litscher

Botton row <sup>2</sup> June Blocker  
~~Evelyn Sister~~ - Elva Haines - <sup>5</sup>  
Dorothy Cusack - Evelyn Sister - Lois Sister  
Endless Hill - Mildred Shinn

# Right Picture

Top row <sup>2</sup> Teacher - Esther Fickel  
it's been Schnack

Middle row <sup>2</sup> June Litscher - <sup>2</sup> Eerie  
<sup>3</sup> - <sup>4</sup> - <sup>5</sup> Schnack

Botton Row - W Brown <sup>3</sup> - <sup>2</sup> Campbell

<sup>3</sup> Coon - <sup>4</sup> Schulz - <sup>5</sup> -

<sup>4</sup> B. Nicholson <sup>3</sup>



May 1932

From Ethel Ellsworth



Elva June Litscher <sup>63</sup>  
from <sup>62</sup>  
Ethel Ellsworth

HL  
G S C  
base

SSC







Night picture  
 Top row 1 - Teacher - Hettie Bickel 3  
 Middle row 1 June Gistakus - Schneek  
 2 - 2 Lois  
 3 - 4  
 4 -  
 Bottom Row - W Brown 3 - Campbell  
 5 -  
 4 Schulz -  
 3 Coon -  
 2 B. Anderson 3

Russ.

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1953 - 8<sup>th</sup> grade



Back row L - R

Robert Mosey Jr - Clodene Branson  
Vaughn Marsden - Martha Schaff

Front Row L - R

Waldo Jones - Lora Carter - Mrs Clemets  
Jack Bell

1953

Spring ~~1953~~

Vacation is here.

Grassy Lane  
May 12, 1953

Kinds of Sentences  
Declarative - Makes a statement  
Interrogative - Asks a question  
Exclamatory - Expresses strong or sudden feeling  
Imperative - Makes a command



Nancy Siem

Donny Lark

Linda Siem

Mrs Elva Kraft

Johnny Smatz

Carolyn Tobey

Danor Smatz

Clara Tobey

W. C. Smatz

Virginia Thiebaud  
Anthony J. Portz

Bobby Lark

Caroly Siem

Richard Graham

School items  
donated by the  
Anthony + Regina  
Portz Family.

ATTENDANCE RECORD

	Days Taught	Days Attended	Days Absent	Times Tardy
1st six weeks	28 1/2	28 1/2		
2nd six weeks	29 1/2	29 1/2		
3rd six weeks	27 1/2	27 1/2		
4th six weeks	29	28	1	
5th six weeks	24	24	0	
6th six weeks	28	1	0	
Total				

Please sign and return this report within three days. Your signature shows that you have looked over this report, not that you approve or disapprove.

Parent's Signature: *Mrs Anchors Portz*

Parent's Signature: *Mrs. Portz*

Parent's Signature: *Mrs. Anthony Portz*

Parent's Signature: *Mrs. Anthony Portz*

Parent's Signature: *Mrs. Anthony Portz*

Parent's Signature:

Classification Next Year: { Advance to First Grade  
Continue in ..... Grade

To the Teacher: Make all entries in pen and ink, avoid erasures. The manner in which these reports are made will indicate the character of your work.

To the Parents: The school and home share the responsibility for the growth and development of the child. This card contains all the reports necessary regarding the deportment, attendance and progress of your child.

Please observe State Health Rules regarding contagious and infectious diseases, which call for exclusion during incubation period. Your full cooperation is required.

Your child should come to school regularly and on time every day unless ill.

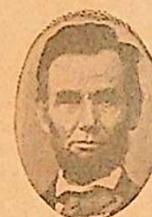
Plan to visit your school this year.

HARRY W. BANZE,  
County Superintendent.

# SCOTT COUNTY

## Report of Pupil's Progress

Primer Through Third Grade



"I will study and prepare myself and perhaps some day my chance will come."  
—A. Lincoln.

School #8, Princeton Township

Name Anthony Portz

Grade Primary Age 5 Years Months

Kathleen Garrison Teacher

### RECOMMENDED AGES:

Primary Grade .....	5 1/2 to 6 1/2
First Grade .....	6 1/2 to 7 1/2
Second Grade .....	7 1/2 to 8 1/2
Third Grade .....	8 1/2 to 9 1/2

Primer Pupils begin in September.

### MARKING SYSTEM:

A—Very Good Work
B—Good Work
C—Average Work
D—Below Average
E—Passing
F—Failure, below 70%

All subdivisions marked S (Satisfactory) I (Improving)  
U (Unsatisfactory)

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Ave.
READING READINESS	C	Ct					
Ability to match words and sentences							
Ability to take directions	U	U					
Ability to listen to stories	S	S					
Ability to speak distinctly	S	S					
READING	B	B+	B	B	Ct		
Ability to read so that others enjoy listening		S					
Ability to get the thought from material on child's grade level							
Ability to do seatwork in reading independently		S					
Ability to read independently material easier than grade level							
Reads without pointing		S					
Reads without lip movement		U					
LITERATURE	B	B	B	B	B	B	
Enjoys listening to stories and poems	S	S	S				
PHONICS	B	B	B	B	B		
Can hear likenesses and differences in words		S					
Can see likenesses and differences in words		S					
Can get new words through context							
Can get new words by using phonetic elements that have been taught							
LANGUAGE	C	C	B	B	B	C	
ORAL							
Expresses own thoughts in good sentences							
Enunciates clearly							
Uses correct English that has been taught							
Tells stories, experiences, or gives directions observing logical order of sentences							
WRITTEN							
Expresses own thoughts in good sentences							
Uses correct English that has been taught							
Makes use of capitalization and punctuation that has been taught							
Writes stories, experiences, or directions observing logical order of sentences							
SPELLING	B	B	B	B			

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Ave.
WRITING	B	B	B	B	B	B	
Has correct position of hand and chalk or pencil when writing at the board or on paper		S					
Makes correct formation of letters		S					
Observes uniformity in size and spacing of letters		S					
Writes with ease and fair degree of speed							
NUMBERS							
Understanding							
Accuracy							
Speed							
SCIENCE							
Reads to get information on the subject							
Seeks information through actual experience							
Takes part in discussion							
SOCIAL SCIENCE							
Reads to get information on the subject							
Seeks information through actual experience							
Takes part in discussion							
HEALTH							
Remains at home when ill							
Observes good health habits							
Has had proper food and sleep for each day's work							
HABITS AND ATTITUDES							
IN WORK AND PLAY							
U (Usually) I (Improving) S (Seldom) Works independently or in a group	U	U	U				
Plays independently or in a group	U	U	U				
Follows directions in work or play	U	U	U				
Shows interest in any work or play activity for a reasonable period of time or until completed	U	U	U				
Observes courtesy rules	U	U	U				

#### Remarks:

If your child's work is below average consider the following possible reasons for slow development:

Too Young for Grade  
Attendance Irregular

General Physical Condition  
Hearing Difficulty

Poor Vision  
Tardiness

Please sign and return this report within three days. Your signature shows that you have looked over this report, not that you approve or disapprove.

Parent's Signature: *Mrs Anthony Portz*

Parent's Signature:

Classification Next Year: { Advance to Fourth Grade  
Continue in \_\_\_\_\_ Grade

To the Teacher: Make all entries in pen and ink, avoid erasures. The manner in which these reports are made will indicate the character of your work.

To the Parent or Guardian: This card contains all the reports necessary regarding the deportment, attendance and progress of your child.

We invite and urge you to visit the school.

HARTSEL M. PERRY

County Superintendent of Schools.

## SCOTT COUNTY Report of Pupil's Progress

Primary Through Third Grade

"I will study and prepare myself and perhaps some day my chance will come."

— A. Lincoln.



School No. 2, Township

Name Anthony Portz

Grade 3 Age 8 Birth Aug 24, 1944

Mrs. Elva Kraft Teacher

### RECOMMENDED AGES:

Primary Grade	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 6
First Grade	6 to 7
Second Grade	7 to 8
Third Grade	8 to 9

GRADES: Enter grade only for each main subject and check other achievements where improvement is needed.

- A = Superior  
B = Above Average  
C = Average  
D = Below Average  
F = Failure, below 75

PLEASE SEE THAT YOUR CHILD COMES TO SCHOOL REGULARLY AND ON TIME EVERY DAY

- A. In our rural schools we are trying to learn to
1. Think clearly
  2. Use good judgment
  3. Take care of public and private property
  4. Be courteous and obedient
  5. Respect the rights of others
- B. We think it is important to
1. Work and play well alone and with others
  2. Be good American citizens

	1	2	3	4	5	6
Preparation for Reading: (Primary and First grade only)						
Interest in Pictures						
Listens to Stories						
Reading:	95	95	95	95	96	96
Reads without pointing						
Reads without lip movement						
Tone or voice						
Understands what he reads						
Interest and effort						
Neatness in reading workbooks						
Ability in reading workbooks						
Reading at library table						
Phonics:	95	95	95	95	96	96
Ability to hear rhyming words						
Ability to give words beginning alike						
Ability to give words ending alike						
Ability to attack new words						
Language:	96	97	97	97	97	98
Ability to tell a story						
Ability to write a short story						
Correct usage						
A good listener						
Music:	90	90	90	90	90	90
Appreciation of good music						
Singing						
Health:	90	96	98	-	-	-
Comes to school clean						
Comes to school rested						
Art:	92	92	93	93	93	93
Science:				98	98	98
Writing:	92	92	92	92	94	94
Uniformity in size and spacing of letters						
Letter formation						
Neatness						
Numbers:	97	94	94	96	98	98
Understanding						
Accuracy						
Speed						
Geography:						
Spelling:	99	99	99	99	99	99
Workbook						
Carry over to other subjects						

No. S68

Average 94 94  $\frac{1}{2}$  95-95 95  $\frac{1}{2}$  95  $\frac{1}{2}$ 

## ATTENDANCE RECORD

	Days Taught	Days Attended	Days Absent	Times Tardy		
1st six weeks	26	25	1	0		
2nd six weeks	29	29	0	0		
3rd six weeks	33	29	4	0		
4th six weeks	30	28	2	0		
5th six weeks	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	0	0		
6th six weeks	32	32	0	0		
Total	178 $\frac{1}{2}$	171 $\frac{1}{2}$	7	0		
	1	2	3	4	5	6
Physical Education:	90	90	90	90	90	90
Citizenship:	90	90	90	90	90	90
Thoughtful and courteous						
Deportment	90	90	90	95	94	94
Care of property						
Work Habits:	95	95	95	95	95	95
Neat						
Industrious						
Follows directions						
Pays attention						
General Physical Condition:						
Good						
Excellent						
Fair						
Weight each period						

## Remarks:

If your child's work is below average consider the following possible reasons for slow development:

 Poor Vision  
 Too young Bad Hearing  
 Tardiness Irregular Attendance  
 General Phys. Condition

"The school and home share the responsibility for the growth and development of the child"

Average 95

## TEACHER'S COMMENTS

1. Anthony is doing good work for his grade.
2. Keep up the good work.
3. Doing good work.
4. Satisfactory.
5. Satisfactory.
- 6.

## TO THE PARENTS:

The school and the home are equally concerned in developing habits for growth and success of the child. What a child does with his knowledge is the most important thing for us to consider. Habits are therefore listed in detail in this report. The thanks of the school are extended to the pupils and parents whose cooperation enables us to maintain a high standard of excellence in ~~studies~~, health habits, and good citizenship.

HARRY W. BANZE,  
County Superintendent.

## PARENT'S SIGNATURE AND COMMENTS

1. Mrs Anthony Party
2. Mrs Anthony Party
3. Mrs Anthony Party
4. Mrs Anthony Party
5. Mrs Anthony Party

## SCOTT COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

## RECORD OF PUPIL'S PROGRESS

## PRIMARY THROUGH THIRD GRADE

Report of Anthony Party Jr.  
Pleasant Hill School Princeton Township

Year beginning Sept. 5 Ending May 18 Grade 1

Classification next year, grade second

Mrs. Kathleen Davison Teacher

Record of Attendance	1	2	3	4	5	6
Days Attended	28	26	27	21 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	26 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	30
Days Absent	0	1	1	6	0	0
Times Tardy	0	0	0	1	0	0

## EXPLANATION OF MARKINGS:

- A—Very Good Work
- B—Good Work
- C—Average Work
- D—Below Average
- E—Passing
- F—Failing

The letter "S" placed after a mark indicates that the grade given is satisfactory for this particular student, as not every pupil is able to earn the highest marks. However, if the mark is followed by a "U", it is understood that the work is not as good as this student can do, and greater effort or more time should be spent on that subject.

Subdivisions, habits, and attitudes are marked as follows:

- S—Satisfactory
- U—Unsatisfactory
- I—Improving

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Ave.
READING READINESS							
Can match words and sentences	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Can take directions	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Speaks distinctly	S	S	S	S	S	S	
READING	B	B	B	B	B+	B+	
Reads with expression and meaning	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Gets thought from printed page	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Does seatwork independently	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Does recreational reading	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Reads without pointing	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Reads without lip movement	S	S	S	S	S	S	
LITERATURE	B	B	B	B	B	B	
Enjoys listening to stories and poems	S	S	S	S	S	S	
PHONICS	C	C+	B	B	B+	B+	
Can hear likenesses and differences	U	S	S	S	S	S	
Can see likenesses and differences	U	U	S	S	S	S	
Can get new words through context	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Can get new words by sounding	U	U	U	U	S	S	
LANGUAGE	C	C+	B	B	B	B	
ORAL	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Expresses own thoughts in good sentences	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Makes meaning clear	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Uses correct English for grade level	S	S	S	S	S	S	
WRITTEN	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Expresses own thoughts in good sentences	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Uses capitals and punctuation correctly	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Uses correct English for grade level	S	S	S	S	S	S	
SPELLING	A	A	A	A	A	A	
Workbooks	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Other subjects	S	S	S	S	S	S	
WRITING	B	B	B	B	B	B	
Has correct position of hand with chalk or pencil	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Tries to write well	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Writes plainly according to standards	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Keeps work neat	S	S	S	S	S	S	
NUMBERS	B	B	B	B	B	B	
Understanding	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Accuracy	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Speed	S	S	S	S	S	S	
SCIENCE	C	C	C+	B+	B+	C+	
Reads to get information on the subject	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Seeks information through experiences	U	U	S	S	S	S	
Brings in or tells of interesting objects	S	S	S	S	S	S	
SOCIAL SCIENCE	C	C	C	C	C	C	
Reads to get information on the subject	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Seeks information through experiences	U	U	S	S	S	S	
Takes part in discussions	S	S	S	S	S	S	

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Ave.
HEALTH AND SAFETY	S	C	C+	C+	C+	C+	C+
Applies facts to healthful living	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Sits, stands, and walks correctly	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Keeps hands, nails, face, and teeth clean	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Plays outside when possible	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Uses handkerchief	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Keeps hands & matls. away from mouth & nose	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Awake and alert in school	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Observes safety rules to and from school	S	S	S	S	S	S	
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	SB	B	B	B	B	B	
Takes part with interest	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Controls movements of the body	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Responds to rhythm	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Takes care of equipment	S	S	S	S	S	S	
MUSIC	C	C	C	C	C	C	
Enjoys singing	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Sings tones correctly	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Can do rhythm work	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Knows words of songs	S	S	S	S	S	S	
ART AND HAND WORK	C+	C+	C+	C+	C+	C+	
Sees possibilities of materials	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Uses initiative	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Tries to do work well	S	S	S	S	S	S	
ORDERLINESS AND PROMPTNESS	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Takes care of wraps	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Takes care of desk, books, paper, and supplies	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Gets and puts away materials properly	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Responds to directions promptly	S	S	S	S	S	S	
INDUSTRY AND COOPERATION	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Sees things to be done and does them	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Works or plays independently	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Works or plays in a group	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Pays attention in class and play	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Satisfied only with best he can do	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Helps keep school and grounds neat	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Attitude toward school	S	S	S	S	S	S	
SOCIAL HABITS AND OBEDIENCE	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Observes rules of fair play	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Observes courtesy rules	S	C	S	S	S	S	
Is dependable	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Respects rights and property of others	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Shows good sportsmanship	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Has good speech habits	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Listens while others speak	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Does not sulk, quarrel, or lose temper	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Shows respect for authority	S	S	S	S	S	S	
Attitude toward criticism	S	S	S	S	S	S	
CONDUCT TO AND FROM SCHOOL	S	S	S	S	S	S	
GENERAL BEHAVIOR AT SCHOOL	S	S	S	S	S	S	

*Porty*

TO THE PARENT:

This report is sent to you every six weeks to acquaint you with your child's progress in school.

Special attention is called to the effects of irregular attendance. A serious interruption to progress and a lack of interest in school work are often the result.

Please notice each marking carefully. You should be concerned not only with scholastic grades, but also reports on personality and character. Young people who improve in these respects are establishing the solid foundations for happy, useful lives.

If you have any doubts, uncertainties or misunderstandings concerning this report, we urge you to confer with the teacher in the interests of your child. The schools are your and our responsibility. They will become better schools only if your confidence and cooperation are coordinated with our efforts to provide superior education.

Plan to visit your school this year.

HARRY W. BANZE,  
County Superintendent.

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FORTUNATE IS THAT BOY OR GIRL WHO HAS  
BEHIND HIM THE URGE OF AN APPRECIATIVE AND UNDERSTANDING PARENT.

AaBb CcDdEeFf GgHh



2nd & 3rd Grade Class, 1956  
Old Stone School, Princeton, Iowa

- a. Doris Gilbert
- b. Jill Kennedy
- c. Ronnie Hill
- d. Susie Gast
- e. Anne Suiter
- f. Carl Frasier
- g. Greg Damon
- h.
- i. Verna Helble, Teacher
- j. Mary Volrath
- k. Betty Hall
- l.
- m.
- n.
- o. Jill Suiter
- p. Nancy Purington
- q.
- r.
- s. Kent Dreshler
- t.
- u. Kim Evans
- v.
- w.
- x. Phil Long





1st Grade 1957-58

Row 1 - Jerry Schulz, Evelyn Little, Mindy Hirl, Linda Carter, Virgil Heppner, Michael Wilson, Terry McLaughlin, and Kenneth Robertson.

Row 2 - Jeanette Hill, Clyde Tobey, Shirley Barnett, Mary Bock, and Glen Logsdon.

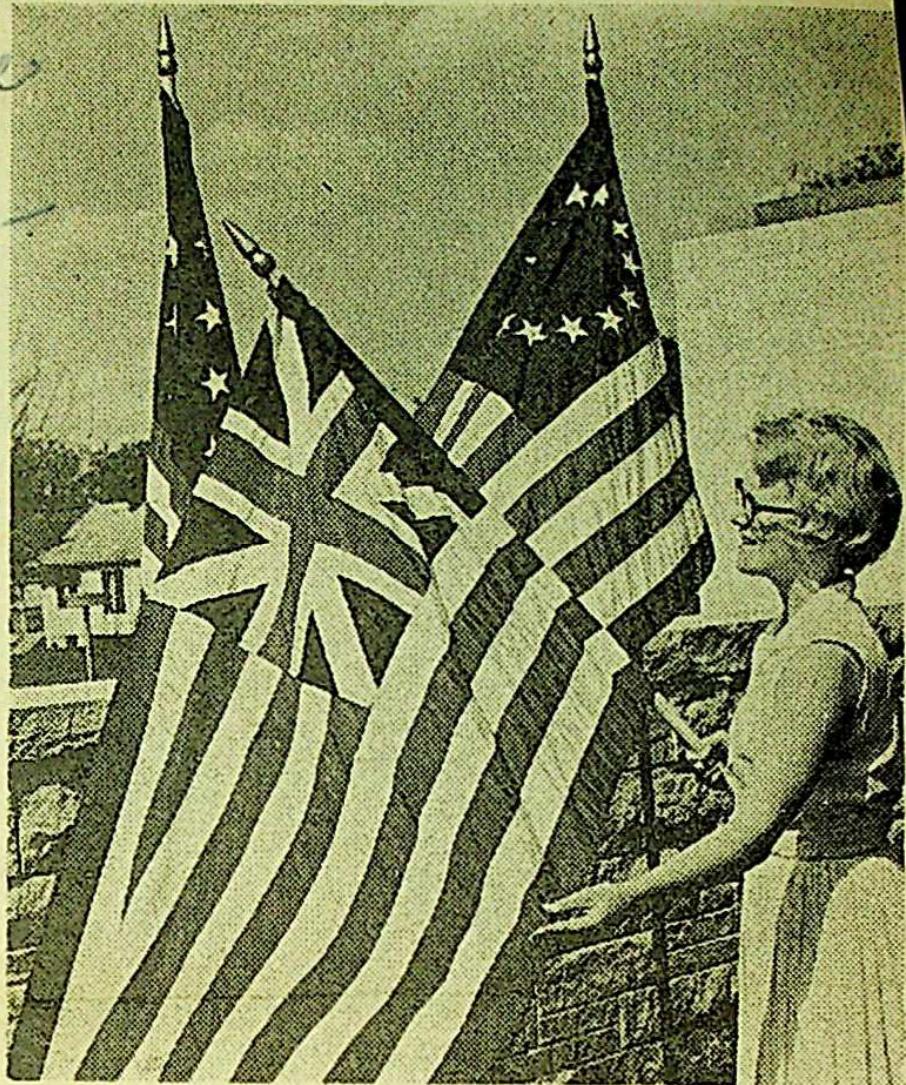
Row 3 (standing) - Larry Wilson, Nina DeLay, Brenda Cole, Steven Billups, Patricia Youngers, Elaine Portz, Cindy Brown, and Patricia Wilson.

Missing: Jerry McLaughlin, Robert Claussen, Cathy Bingham, and Jeanne Stahmer.



# Mon June 14 Myths About 1965 Our Flag

Peggy Volrath, Princeton, displays three early American flags. She holds one with stripes and a Union Jack in the place of the stars. Colonists designed it to show their independence of Britain. Flag at left contains 15 stars in rectangular arrangement. Flag at right has stars arranged in circular design and is first official American flag.



There are countless myths about the origin of the American flag, including the obvious fable about Betsy Ross, but Don Herold, Davenport Public Museum director, hopes to dispel a few of them.

Herold, who has made an intensive study of the history and origin of the flag, will discuss the true historical facts in the museum lecture hall at 7:30 tonight.

Today is Flag Day and the meeting will be open to the public. Herold will give a history of the flag's origin and illustrate his talk with slides.

Also on display will reproductions of 16 flags, including the British, Scotch and Dutch which played a role in the development of the American flag. There are also Viking, Spanish and French flags in the group, as well as a copy of the flag that inspired "The Star Spangled Banner."

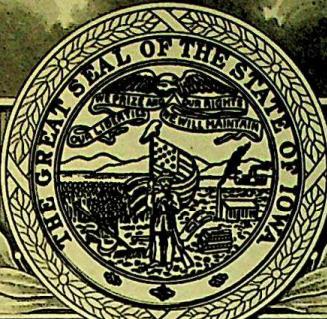
The announcement that Betsy Ross had made the flag was not made until 100 years after her death by a relative who changed his version of the story several times. Historians have found she could not possibly have met with Gen. George Washington to discuss the new flag at the times claimed, Herold said.

Herold said it was 1912 before the United States got an official flag. Prior to that time so-called "American flags" could be of almost any design, size and shape.

The first flag had the stars arranged in a circular design, and was designed by a government employe for the Navy. The man was never paid for his work because it was claimed he had made the design on government time.

"The true story of the flag is much more exciting than the myths that have grown up about it," Herold declared.

Certificate  
of  
Promotion



## Scott County Public Schools

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT

Ella June Hatcher  
of the Independent School District of

Princeton

Scott County, Iowa, has completed the Course of Study  
in the Common Branches required by law to be taught in  
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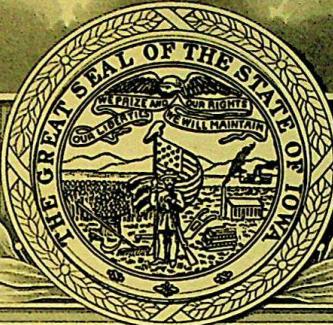
Given at Davenport, Iowa,

this 11th day of May 1934



Harry W. Bane  
County Superintendent

Theo. C. Ressler  
Superintendent



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Russell Hustedter  
of the Independent School District of

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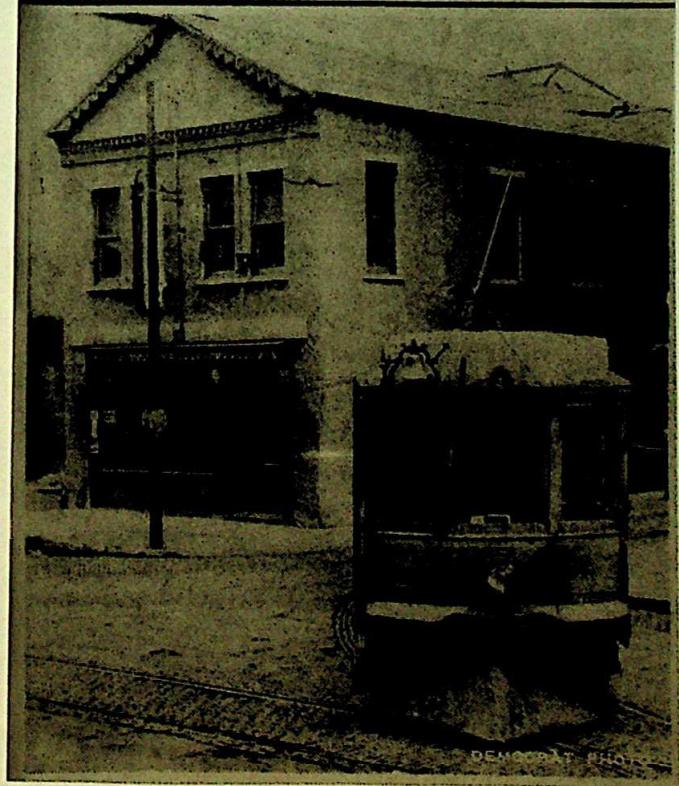
Ready for the Last Trip!

Progress marches on!

The last interurban car between Davenport and Clinton will make a farewell run tonight ending almost 35 years of interurban service out of Davenport. Interurban service to Muscatine was abandoned some time ago and starting Monday sleek new steamline busses will furnish all of the inter-city service of the C. D. & M. Railway Co. between Davenport and Clinton and Muscatine.

When first introduced the interurban cars, which now join streetcars and old Dobbins, in the transportation graveyard, were hailed as a new link between city and rural areas.

Ready for Last Trip!



1956 new post office  
remodeled 1966

Gov. Build. Co. 1928  
to rebuild Boll's

Started June 13, 1929  
+ he showed motion pic  
purchased in Jan 1963

Fire Dept. started  
Feb. 14, 1933

Civil Center info  
before Comm. Center?

Princeton, Ia., Bidding for U. N. Site, Still Hopeful but Rather Skeptical of Success

by "Bill" Wundram, Jr.

"There's bad news from Princeton tonight," Gabriel Heater moaned over the airwaves.

"Premier Molotov left the United Nations council chamber in a huff this afternoon, declaring he would not return to those bluffs overlooking the Mississippi river unless his ultimatum of earlier in the day was followed by the general assembly."

"The Russian delegate, accompanied by two secretaries departed from the chamber at 2:19 p. m. A chauffeur said they saw head towards Bettendorf, headquarters of the Soviet delegation."

Sure, it sounds like an impossibility that you would ever hear Gabriel Heater lament such news as the above coming from the tiny town of Princeton, Ia.

And you laugh to think of Arabian sheiks, in their robes and sandals, ever strolling thru Grant's basement looking for a sand pail to send home to their little boys.

It sounds like a great big joke.

But that's what would occur should the United Nations accept the bid of Princeton to locate their permanent site in the river town above Davenport of 2,000 residents.

CHANCES SLIM

Skeptics say the chances are slim - in fact almost unthinkable that the UN site committee will accept the offer of 20 acres of Princeton land on which to build their headquarters.

But Will Rogers, who offered the land high over the banks of the Mississippi river, staunchly maintains:

"It's not an impossibility."

Rogers, just returned from New York City, where he contacted representatives of the United Nations as to the possibility of the UN locating in Princeton, reported Thursday he was assured that the town's bid would be considered.

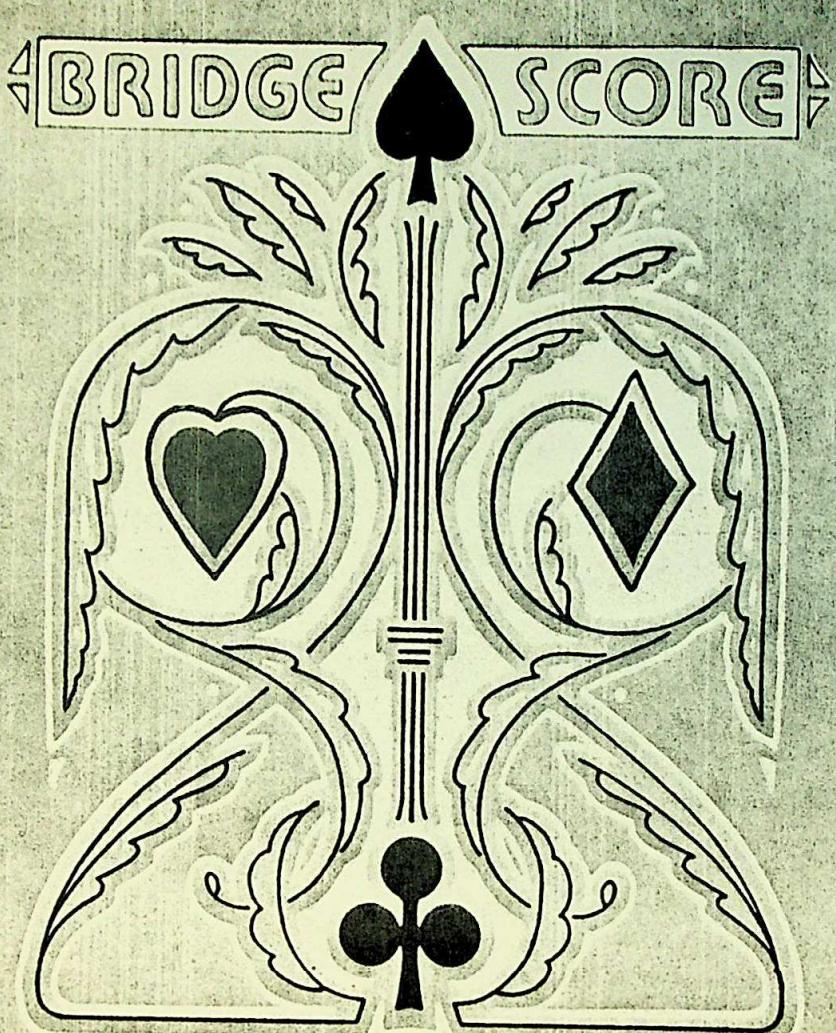
"There's a lot of squabbling going on at Lake Success, N.Y. over the choosing of the site," Roger's said.

"It's my opinion that the New York City politicians want it there but people don't. San Francisco wants the U.N., but does the U.N. want San Francisco?" he asks.

"What's the answer?"

"Why locate in the middle, go between the east and west coast. That's where Princeton comes in. We're right in the center of the country," Roger's explains.

Secretary of State James Byrnes in an answer to the bid of Roger's and Princeton for the U.N. site merely conceded that he received the invitation.



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PRINCETON, IOWA

**OLD BEN PURITY  
GREEN MARKED COAL**

MARCH 17, 1948  
DAILY TIMES, WEDNE

**Funeral Today for  
Dr. McElderry, Former  
Physician of Princeton**

OTTUMWA, Ia. — (Special)— Funeral services for Dr. Donald McElderry, 74, former Ottumwa and Princeton physician who died Monday at the Veteran's hospital in Des Moines, will be this afternoon at the Johnson funeral chapel, conducted by Chaplain Deloss Marken of the Veteran's hospital in Des Moines. Burial will be in Agency cemetery.

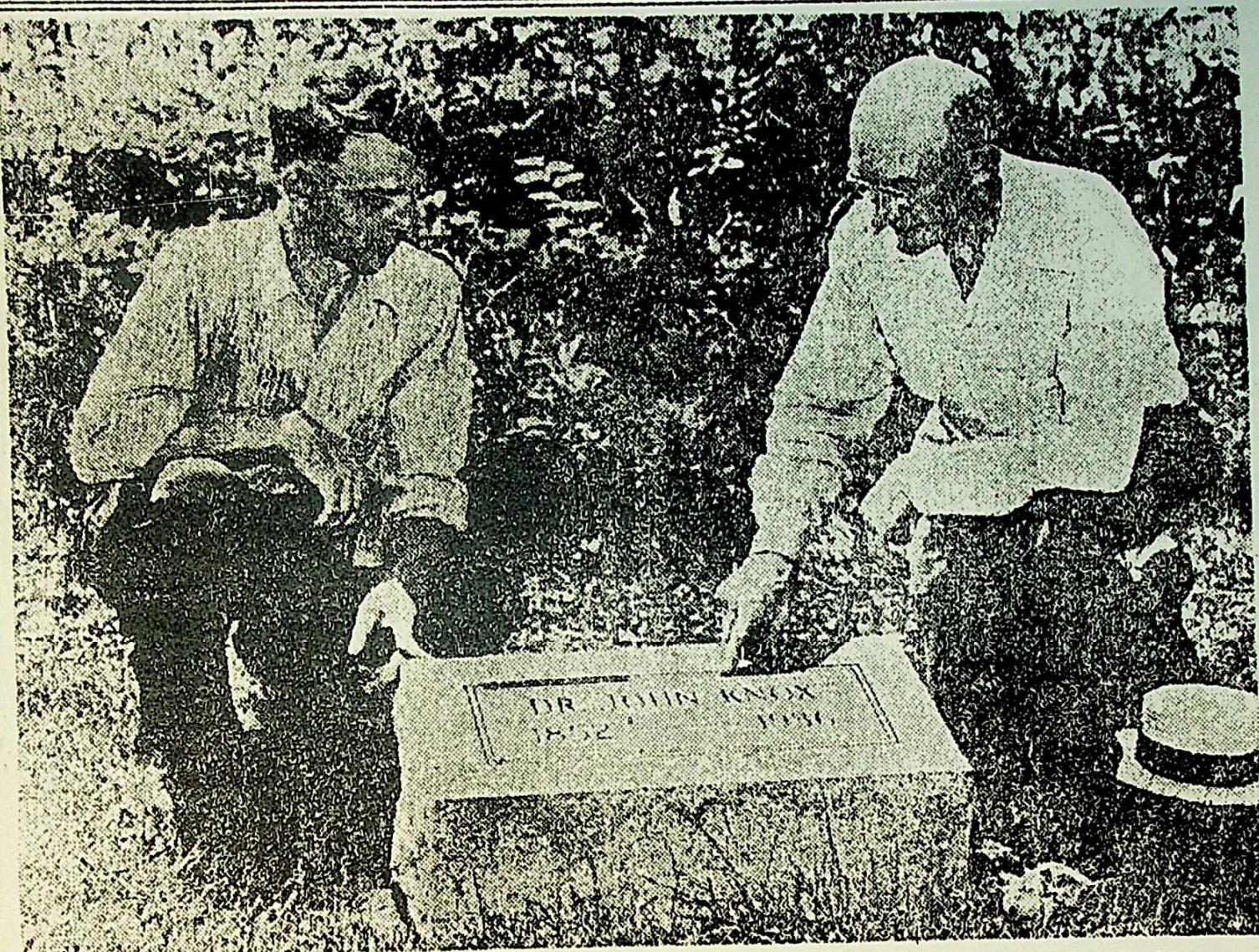
Dr. McElderry was born February 28, 1874, at Fairfield, the son of John R. and Isabelle F. McElderry. He took up the practice of medicine in Agency in 1908, and eight years later moved to Ottumwa where he practiced until 1942. In that year he went to Princeton, in Scott county.

He was a captain in World War I, entering the service in September of 1917 and was discharged in February of 1919 at Camp Sheridan, Ala.

He was a past president of the Wapello County Medical society, a member of the O. B. Nelson post No. 3, American Legion, of the A. F. & A. M., lodge No 16, Ottumwa, and the Zarephath cemetery of Davenport.

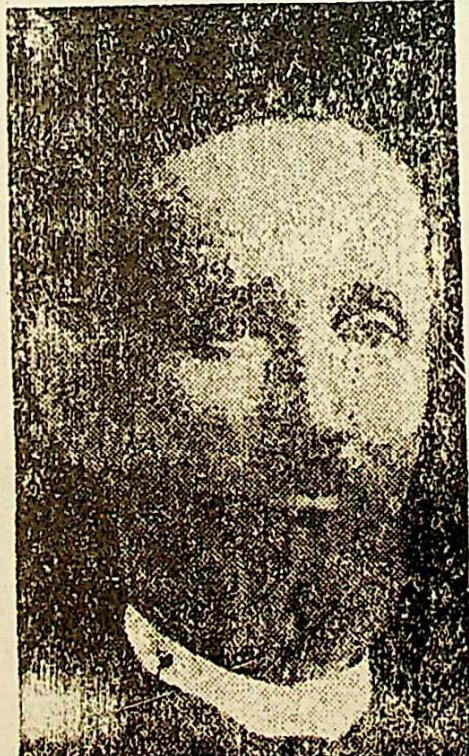
Surviving are his wife, Edith; a son, Frank McElderry, Des Moines attorney; a foster son, Lt. Comdr. Harold Buell, New Port, R. I.; four grandchildren; a brother, Dr. C. A. McElderry, Los Angeles; and two sisters, Miss Grace McElderry, Englewood, Calif., and Mrs. Helen Hendershot, Des Moines. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Sadie, in November of 1946.

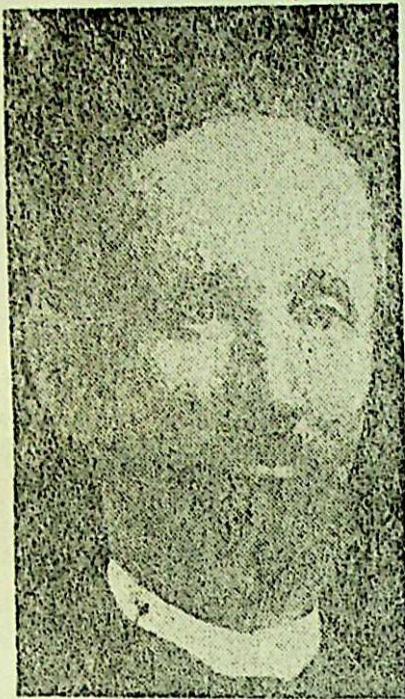
MORNING, JULY 10, 1949.



MARK GRAVE OF PIONEER—J. R. Suiter (left) president of the Princeton Booster club, and T. F. Ruhberg inspect the marker which was erected in the Princeton cemetery to mark the grave of Dr. John Knox, the first white child to be born in the town. Ruhberg was chairman of the committee in charge of securing and erecting the marker.

## Princeton Boosters Dedicate Grave Marker Honoring Town's First White Child, No. 1 Citizen





#### FIRST WHITE CHILD—

The above picture shows Dr. John Knox, the first white child to be born at Princeton, as he looked during the height of his career. He was proud of his beard, and one of his greatest disappointments came when it was shaved off at a hospital several years before his death.

## Princeton Boosters Dedicate Grave Marker Honoring Town's First White Child, No. 1 Citizen

By JIM COLBY.

Down thru the years many of the pioneer residents of eastern Iowa have passed away, and have been all but forgotten by succeeding generations. Even the final resting places of some of the men and women who helped write the history of this section of the state are unknown. But such will not be the case of Dr. John Knox, the first white child born in the town of Princeton, and one of that community's most outstanding citizens, for the Princeton Booster club has erected a marker over his grave in the cemetery there.

Ever since the death of the old doctor on Aug. 14, 1936, the grave had remained unmarked, and the location of his burial place had been forgotten by many of the town's residents. But the Princeton Booster club, under the presidency of J. R. Suiter, and thru efforts of a committee headed by T. F. Ruhberg as chairman, recently purchased and erected a marker for the grave. Members of the committee in charge of securing the marker included John Litscher, J. C. DuCray and Roy Holst.

John Knox grew to young manhood in Princeton, attended school there, and later studied medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, when he graduated in 1877. He served as resident physician of the Philadelphia hospital for one year before returning to his home town in 1878 to start practice of his own. He served as mayor of Princeton for several terms.

Many of the present residents of Princeton were brought into the world by Dr. Knox, who also attended them down thru the years, caring for their children and grandchildren as well. The veteran doctor's active career came to an end in 1905 when he was injured in an accident when a train ran into the horse and buggy in which he was answering a call.

Dr. Knox was a great booster for the town of Princeton, and many civic improvements can be attributed to his efforts.

July 10, 1949

Princeton, Ia., Bidding for U. N. Site, Still Hopeful but  
Rather Skeptical of Success .....continued

"He made no commitments in his letter," Roger's, who is president of the Princeton Boosters club said.

PERFECT LOCATION

"Nevertheless, I'm still holding out hope. We have the perfect location. Far away from the hustle of metropolitan cities, yet close enough for quick access to them via the Tri-cities," Rogers said.

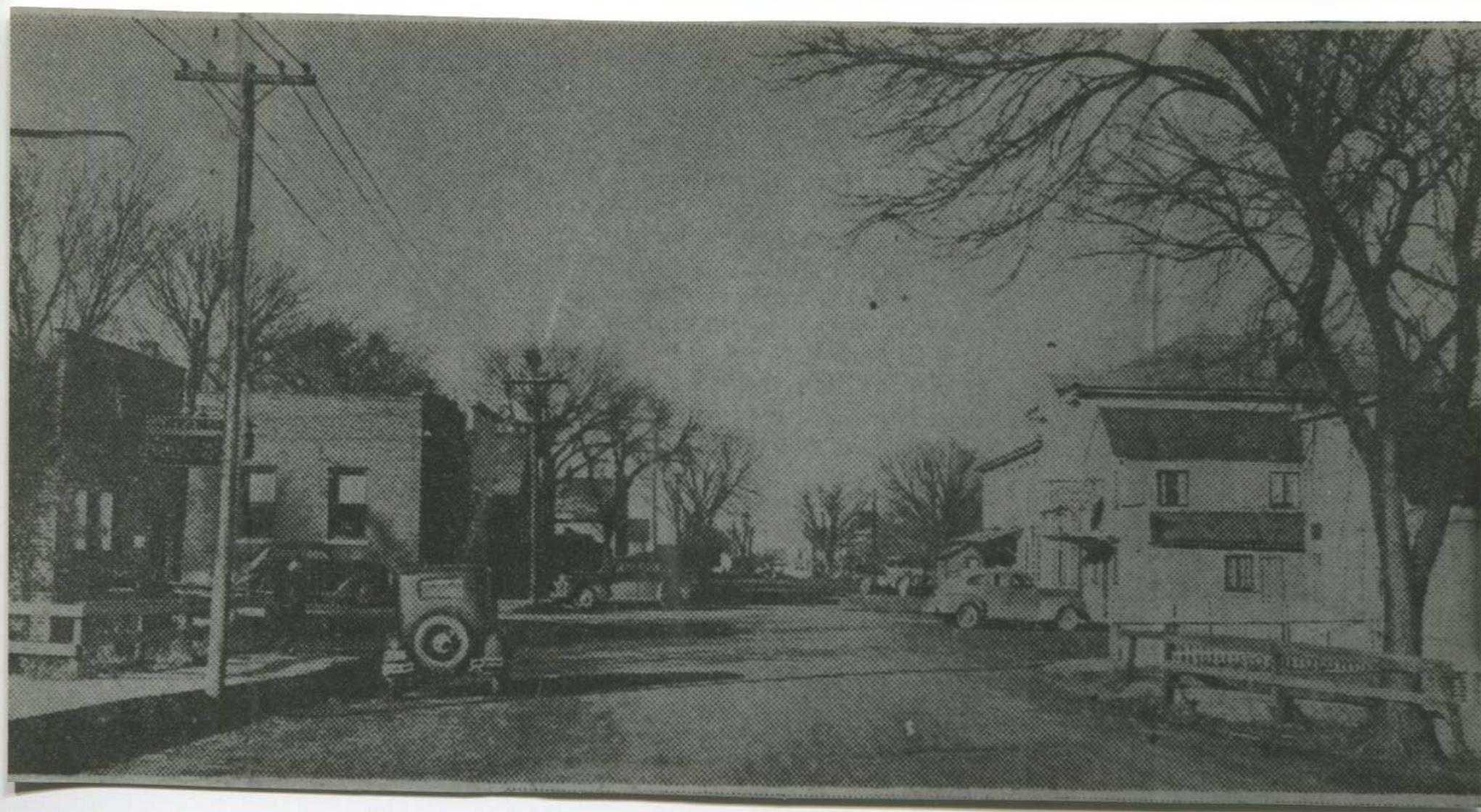
As to the reaction of the majority of townsfolk, they just shrug their shoulders and say:

"We haven't given it much thought. Maybe because we just think it's impossible that the U.N. would ever locate here."

When prompted by such remarks as:

"But it could happen here. What would you think of Arabs walking your streets, of Chinese statesmen as customers in your barber shops, and of Russian delegates ordering vodka in your two taverns?"

But most of them still answer: "Aw, it just couldn't happen here."



Main St. - Princeton

1946

November 16, 1948

MRS. JAMES BAXTER OF PRINCETON TOWNSHIP CELEBRATES 90TH  
BIRTHDAY

Princeton can proudly announce that she has gained the distinction of having another nonagenarian. On Tuesday, November 16th, Mrs. James Baxter celebrated her ninetieth birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Olive. It was a happy occasion for Mrs. Baxter as she was honored by having all her children, with the exception of one son Claude with her.

Telegrams and cards of congratulation and best wishes and gifts from friends were showered on the birthday celebrity. Open house was observed for friends and a delicious dinner was served in the evening. A birthday cake made by Mrs. Baxter's granddaughter, Mrs. Martha Fisher, was beautifully decorated with the birthdates, 1858 - 1948.

Relatives attending from out of town, included Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baxter with children, Billy, Richy, and Barbara Ann of Cedar Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. James Baxter and son, Timmy of Davenport; grandsons and great grandchildren of Mrs. Baxter. Telegrams were received from Claude Baxter a son, and Mrs. H. J. McChesney, a granddaughter and her two sons Donald and Richard of Phoenix, Arizona. Another grandson Albert Baxter and his son Stevan of Quincey, Ill. also wired congratulations.

Mrs. Minerva Baxter was born in Princeton township ninety years ago in the Sand Hill School district. She has lived in Princeton her entire life with the exception of nine years in which she lived in DeWitt, Iowa. She is a member of the Princeton Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Baxter is a very exceptional person for her advanced years. Her interest in her appearance and her very keen intellect impresses you with the wealth of information she has on the Pioneer life in which she lived and contributed to this community. When interviewed, Mrs. Baxter said she realized her life was most interesting she stated, "If my eyesight had not failed me, I would write a book on my life."

Mrs. Baxter's family, Mr. and Mrs. William DuBois came to Pleasant Valley from Ohio in a covered wagon. Her husband's family had along trip from New Jersey. Both families met in Pleasant Valley and later bought adjoining farms in Princeton township. Mr. Baxter was born in a log cabin on Lost Creek.

There were 14 children born to Mr. and Mrs. William DuBois. Mrs. Ella Conrad of McCredie, Missouri, a sister of Mrs. Baxter is the only member of her immediate family still living. She is also very active for her 84 years of age.

Mrs. Baxter attended the Sand Hill school in which prior to her marriage she taught for a short time.

On March 20, 1884, she married her childhood playmate and neighbor, James Baxter. They farmed the Baxter homestead where four children were born and reared. Her four children all living are Mrs. Katie Oliver, Miss Maude Baxter, William Baxter of Princeton & Claude Baxter of Phoenix, Arizona.

MRS. JAMES BAXTER OF PRINCETON TOWNSHIP CELEBRATES  
NINETIETH BIRTHDAY ..continued

Mrs. Baxter's husband James died in 1912. Miss Maude Baxter has made her home with her mother. They recently moved from the town of Princeton and now are living with Mrs. Baxter's daughter, Mrs. William Oliver in Princeton township. Mrs. Baxter has five grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. Two grandchildren now deceased are Dorothy Baxter, daughter of Claude Baxter and Joe Oliver, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Oliver.

Her interesting stories of the changes the years have made in the life of the community are most fascinating.

Transportation was one of the things she commented upon. The drive to Davenport with produce was a three hour journey. In Davenport and Clinton they had just one store to trade in. River boats were used to ship most of their farm produce to St. Louis from LeClaire, which was the headquarters for all river traffic. The winters seemed much colder in those days, with much heavier snow storms.

This might be due to the houses not being built so well and the use of wood for fuel she explained.

It is the wish of all who know and admire Mrs. Baxter, that she will have many more years in the future to enjoy.

December 4, 1948

ZACH G. SUITER

Mr. Suiter was one of the best known and widely respected smaller town bankers in eastern Iowa, and was active in civic affairs of Princeton and Scott county.

Born December 1st, 1891 in LeClaire, he was the son of Zach D. and Ann Suiter. He was educated in the schools of LeClaire, and in 1912 he took a position with the Farmers' bank in Princeton, where he gradually worked his way up to the presidency.

He was married to Miss Marie Holst in Davenport on September 18, 1919.

Mr. Suiter was active in the Presbyterian church of Princeton. He was past master of Snow Lodge, A. F. & A. M. of LeClaire, and of Zarephath Consistory and Kaaba temple in Davenport, as well as past patron of the Order of the Eastern Star in Princeton. He was also a member of the Odd Fellows.

As a veteran of World War I, Zach Suiter was a member of the American Legion post in LeClaire. He was founder and the secretary-treasurer of the Community Building company of Princeton, and a past president of the Scott County Bankers' association.

Mr. Suiter took pride in the fact that his bank was one of the very few in this section of the country that did not close its doors during the depression years.

The most recent honor to come to the popular Princeton banker was his selection president of the new Scott county board of education early this year. Mr. Suiter always took a keen interest in the progress of operation of rural schools.

Zach and Marie Suiter had two children; Lois Jean and Glen H. Suiter.

1948

WIFE OF SUITER NAMED DIRECTOR OF SAVINGS BANK

Mrs. Marie Suiter, widow of Zach G. Suiter, for many years president of the Farmer's Savings Bank at Princeton, was named a member of the bank's board of directors to succeed her husband, it was announced Friday.

Mr. Suiter, who also was president of the Scott county board of education, died December 4<sup>th</sup>.

January 9, 1949

EMIL KROEGER TO HEAD BANK AT PRINCETON

Named President of Farmers' Savings Bank To Succeed Late Zach Suiter

Emil Koeger, retired Scott county farmer, was elected president of the Farmers Savings bank, of Princeton, at the annual meeting held Tuesday afternoon. He replace the late Zach G. Suiter, who died recently.

Other officers named are H. D. Schaff, vice president; Claude C. Brown, cashier and manager of the LeClaire office, and Glen H. Suiter, assistant cashier.

Directors include R. A. Brown, President Kroeger, F. H. McConnell, W. C. Schmalz, Glen Suiter and Mrs. Zach Suiter. It was reported that the bank transacted the greatest volume of business in its history during 1948.

June 23, 1949

DR. STIMAC HEADS MEDICAL DIVISION AT R. I. ARSENAL

Dr. Emil M. Stimac, Princeton, Ia., who has been practicing for the past year in the LeClaire and Princeton area, has been appointed head of the medical division at the Rock Island arsenal, succeeding Capt. Franklin Ruelback, who has retired from the army. Dr. Stimac's appointment was made by the civil service. He is a native of Virginia, Minn., and a graduate of the medical department of the University of Minnesota. During the war he was a captain in the army Medical core.

December 8, 1948

WILL ROGERS NAMED COUNTY SUPERVISOR TO REPLACE SIERK

Will Rogers, 58 year-old Princeton Republican, was appointed to the Scott county board of supervisors Wednesday to fill the vacancy created by the ouster of Hugo C. Sierk.

The appointment was made at a special meeting of Clerk of Courts Elmer Jens, County Auditor William Voss and County Recorder Clarence Hagen. The trio of county officers, authorized to fill vacancies on the board by state law, considered the applications of, Warren G. Maxwell, R. R. No.1, Davenport, who was defeated for the position in the primaries last June; Walter F. Meyer, Maysville, present board member, who was defeated for re-election in the November 2 election; and Charles Rothstein, R. R. No.2, Davenport.

Rogers, whose appointment is effective immediately, was chosen on the second ballot by a two to one majority. The decision was made unanimous on the third ballot. On the first ballot, Rogers, Maxwell and Meyer each received one vote.

ELECTED LAST MONTH

Rogers appeared to be the logical choice to fill Seirk's unexpired term, which ends Jan. 2, 1950, because he was elected supervisor in the Nov. 2 election for the term beginning in 1950.

The new supervisor, who is a native of Scott county, has been a salesman for the Peterson Paper Co. for the last six months. He formerly was a clothing salesman for a Davenport firm.

In 1945, Rogers worked strenuously to make Scott county the seat of the United Nations. He offered the organization a strip of his own land in Princeton township.

Rogers has been active in the annual "State of Scott" celebrations and was rural chairman in 1947. He was formerly a justice of the peace in Princeton and is still a member of that community's Booster club.

ROGERS TO ATTEND UNITED NATIONS

April 1949

Scott County Supervisor Will Rogers will visit New York next week to attend sessions of the United Nations at Lake Success.

Rogers, who once headed a drive to bring the seat of the U.N. to Scott county, said the purpose of his trip is "to see the world organization in action." In 1945, Rogers offered to donate a 30 acres tract of land near Princeton to the U.N., but the former Secretary of State James Byrnes rejected the offer.

# THE DAILY TIME



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## Highway 67 Danger And Disgrace

A dangerous road leads from a point two miles below LeClaire to Route 30 at the edge of Clinton. This route, No. 67, was paved to accommodate the Model T and it is a discredit to the Iowa Highway Commission that nothing has been done with it since except to patch holes.

The danger on this ancient concrete rises with the increase in traffic which has become heavy.

This increase, in part, is a reflection of the way in which this area has been and is being built up.

The road and bridges are narrow. There is no widening even on curves.

Just north of Princeton is a curve on a hill which is the scene of frequent accidents. Fatalities have occurred there.

This old road is the Mississippi River Scenic Highway Route but its

dangers and its rough spots keep anyone traveling it from enjoying any scenery.

A driver coming in from Illinois or another state and negotiating this road would conclude that Iowa was dead broke and had been for a long time.

Undoubtedly many a driver who otherwise would head for Davenport but is familiar with this highway stays away from it.

Here is opportunity for the Davenport Chamber of Commerce and Scott County authorities to go into action and press the Highway Commission to put in a first class highway.

Action is imperative in the interest of saving lives and facilitating traffic. Let the shoddy attention to this road be ended — and now.

## "KEEPING UP WITH THE JONES'"

by Roberta McLaughlin

Looking through our LeClaire-Princeton Telephone Directory we find it isn't hard to keep up with the "Jones'" - we only have 5 of them. Now the "Smiths'" are another story - we boast 12 of them.

But they both have to take a back seat to the "Holsts'". They have an honor of having a grand total of 16 listed in our directory. The "Browns'", one of the most popular names in the nation, are not far behind with 12. And the "Hamiltons'" with 11.

We have a three way tie for the shortest names - "Day", "Lay", and "Ney". And they rhyme, too. Our longest name with 14 letters is "Christopherson" with "Schnittgrund" close behind with 12.

We have an "Ireland" and the "Mc's" in our book total 22.

We have story names for the young fry. "We have a "Little" "Apple" in a "Stout" Oakes" tree in the "West" "Meadows" behind the "Hill". A "Martin" and a "Golden" "Byrd" sing "Lively" and clearly as a "Bell". Underneath on the "Brown" "Rock" "Road" a "Biggs" "Lyons" bumps his "Shinn" on a "Stone".

Our phone book contains much useful information. It quotes the State law warning users to relinquish their connection when someone on a party line asks for it in an emergency. It also is illegal to state falsely that a party line is needed for an emergency.

In closing we'll say although we may not have the "kitchen sink", we do have the "Kitchen".

(This artical was found in a 1950's phone book- P.M.)

July 11, 1949

Princeton Boosters Dedicate Grave Marker Honoring Town's  
First White Child, No. 1 Citizen

By Jim Colby

Down thru the years many of the pioneer residents of eastern Iowa have passed away, and have been all but forgotten by succeeding generations. Even the final resting places of some of the men and women who helped write the history of this section of the state are unknown. But such will not be the case of Dr. John Knox, the first white child born in the town of Princeton, and one of the community's most outstanding citizens, for the Princeton Booster club has erected a marker over his grave in the cemetery there.

Ever since the death of the old doctor on August 14, 1936, the grave has remained unmarked, and the location of his burial place had been forgotten by many of the town's residents. But the Princeton Booster club, under the presidency of J. R. Suiter, and thru efforts of a committee headed by T. F. Ruhberg as chairman, recently purchased and erected a marker for the grave. Members of the committee in charge of securing the marker included John Litscher, J. C. DuCray and Roy Holst.

John Knox grew to young manhood in Princeton, attended school there, and later studied medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, when he graduated in 1877. He served as resident physician of the Philadelphia hospital for one year before returning to his home town in 1878 to start practice of his own. He served as mayor of Princeton for several terms.

Many of the present residents of Princeton were brought into the world by Dr. Knox, who also attended them thru the years, caring for their children and grandchildren as well. The veteran doctor's active career came to an end in 1905 when he was injured in an accident when a train ran into the horse and buggy in which he was answering a call.

Dr. Knox was a great booster for the town of Princeton, and many civic improvements to the community were made thru his efforts and financial aid which he provided. At one time he was considered to be "well-off" financially, but due to unwise investments he lost most of it.

JUST A CLACK'N  
(1949)

by Mrs. Harry Kleeburg

Fire Chief Herbert Pietscher was made aware of a condition which might have led to serious proportions at last Saturday's movie in Community Hall, when the fire siren summoned the firemen to the P.A.Remier fire - the sudden exit of the firemen present caused many people to mention the word "Fire". Those who hadn't heard the siren were suddenly aware of the word "Fire". - They became alarmed and thought it meant the Community Hall was on fire. A few started to leave their seats - the timely announcement by someone in the rear of the hall that the fire was at the Remier home restored calmness and everyone relaxed.

Chief Pietscher states that more lives are lost in fires by people becoming panicky and being crushed than by being burnt - he wishes to inform the public that a fireman is always in attendance at the Saturday movies. He also has instructed the operator of the movie that hereafter when the siren rings he is to make an announcement stating the location of the fire and also to make it possible for the firemen present to leave without difficulty. The Community Hall has three fire exits - enough to clear the hall quickly if people remain calm.

With Christmas now upon us a few things to make it safe are: Never leave Christmas tree lights or lighted wreaths burning, if you are away from home. Check your tree lights so there is no danger from shorts or exposed wires. A tree that has become too dry is a fire hazard. Setting a tree in a pail of water helps eliminate the hazard of its drying out to the danger point. Some other hazards that give firemen headaches during the Christmas holidays are: candles, combustible materials festooned overhead for decorations, extra loads on electrical circuits, toys that produce heat either electrically or chemically, open fireplaces, and discarded paper, and taxing heating plants to full capacity.



MRS. JURGEN (DORATHEA<sup>b</sup>) HOLST

(1851-1949)

Born in Hamberg, Germany, May 8, 1851, she came to this country at the age of 18, directly to Davenport. Following her marriage here to Jurgen Holst on August 16, 1872, the couple farmed in Princeton township until the death of Mr. Holst in 1911. The next year Mrs. Holst moved to Davenport and resided there 28 years. She then moved back to Princeton for nine years till her death in 1949. She was of Lutheran faith.

Dorathea's children were Mrs. Peter Plambeck, Davenport; five sons, Henry of Princeton; Gustaf, R.R. No.1, Bettendorf; Ernest, Davenport; James of R.R. No.1, LeClaire, and Tom Holst, Princeton; 26 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren. A son, George, died in 1936 and a daughter, Mrs. Caroline Bucks, in 1937.

HARRY E. BROWN

(1882-1949)

Mr. Harry E. Brown a life resident of Scott county, he was born in Princeton township March 4, 1882, son of James R. and Rachel Brown, and received his education in the Princeton schools. He resided in and around Princeton most of his life, and was a member of the United Presbyterian church of Argo. He married Mae Fletcher in Princeton, Dec. 22, 1904. Their children are; Mrs. Lloyd Ormsby, Stockton; four sons, Elmer L. Princeton; Howard A. and Walter A. Brown, both of LeClaire; and Ray J. Brown, Clinton. They have seven grandchildren.

Mr. Brown was the manager of Lums Lumber yard for three years before his death in 1949.

DANIEL W. NEY

(1873-1955)

Mr. Daniel W. Ney was born in Philadelphia October 17, 1873, and married Mary Matilda Blocker in Prairie du Chien in 1899. She died September 20, 1954.

Mr. Ney was resident of Princeton for 70 years, he was a commercial fisherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Ney's children were; Mrs. Grace Griem, Rock Island; Ralph Ney, Princeton. They had 12 grandchildren, and seven great-grandchildren.

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A squabble between churches must bring great delight to the hearts of those characters who sit in the Kremlin.

More incidents like those in Princeton will slowly but surely undermine the foundation of their Godless nation.

(The Clinton Herald, Friday, May 1, 1953)



## Princeton Praised

How Princeton this week set a heart-warming example of religious tolerance is described today by the Roving Reporter in his column, Page 4.

## The Roving Reporter

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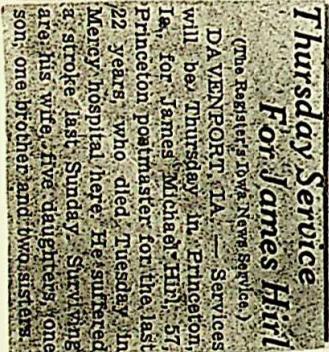
James Hiril, 57, is a well-known life resident of Scott county who owned and operated the Standard Service station in Princeton the last 22 years, and who was postmaster there the last 12 years, died at 9 a.m. today in Merry Hospital. Death was attributed to a stroke which he suffered last Sunday.

A native of Eldridge, Mr. Hiril was born Jan. 28, 1896, the son of James and Margaret Hiril, early residents of Scott county. He married Amelia Adair in Long Grove Sept. 10, 1919.

Active in civic and fraternal organizations of Princeton for many years, Mr. Hiril was affiliated with the Buffalo Bill American Legion Post of LeClaire. He was a member of St. James Catholic church of Princeton, and was a veteran of World War I.

Survivors include his widow, five daughters, Mrs. Edwin Michael Clinton, Mrs. Charles Schultz, and Mrs. James Billups, both of Princeton, Mrs. Robert Kincaid, Detroit, and Mrs. John Phillips, LaGrange, Ill.; a son, Laverne Hiril, Princeton; a brother, Thomas Hiril, Davenport; two sisters, Mrs. Agnes Randolph Bettendorf, and Mrs. Marie Fraizer Phoenix, Ariz., and 18 grandchildren.

The body was removed to McGinnis funeral home where services will be held at 8:45 a.m. Thursday. The body will then be taken to St. James Catholic church, Princeton, where a funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday. The Rev. A. J. Wiedenfeld to officiate. Interment will be delayed in the cemetery of home at 3 p.m. Wednesday.



## Hirl Rites In Two Churches

Two churches, one Catholic and one Lutheran, were pressed into use Thursday during the funeral service for James Michael Hirl, 57, Princeton postmaster, who died Tuesday in Mercy hospital of a stroke which he suffered Sunday.

An overflow crowd of more than 500 persons attended the

services and when the St. James Catholic church in Princeton was unable to house those wishing to hear the ceremony the board of trustees of Zion Lutheran church, across the street from St. James, offered the use of their sanctuary.

Both churches were filled to capacity and many persons were standing in the vestibules during

the service. A public address system, provided by the McGinnis Funeral home, carried the rites from the Catholic church into the Lutheran church.

Persons of all denominations joined in the unique service to honor the memory of Hirl who was a well-known life-time resident of Scott county.

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ROCKS MARK HALLOWED GROUND—A small pile of rocks marks the resting place of three white men, killed by Indians in the early days of the United States, on the farm operated by Foster Auliff in Princeton township. Pictured above Foster and his three-year-old daughter, Carole Sue, are looking at the memorial to the three men. A provision in the deed to the farm prevents the burial place from being disturbed.

*July 1950*

## Clause in Old Deed Protects Graves of Three Unknown Army Scouts Buried Near Princeton

By JIM COLBY.

A small pile of rocks, located on a lonely hillside on the Foster Auliff farm in Princeton township, marks the final resting place of three white men who served as army scouts in the early days of the United States. The three men, according to legends handed down by early settlers of Scott county, were killed by Indians.

Altho their names are not known, and only a sketchy account of the death of the three men has been handed down thru the years, their resting place will continue to remain because of a restriction placed in the original government land grant, and which still remains in the deed to the farm, according to Foster Auliff, present operator of the farm.

He says that there is a clause in the original deed which prevents the owners of the land from farming the area occupied by the rock pile and the graves of the three men, or otherwise disturbing the place.

The story has been carried down thru the years by the various occupants of the farm, and is still recalled by Mrs. Elmer Evans, of Princeton, whose father, Isaiah Bruner, owned the farm about 1872, and who later owned the farm herself. Foster Auliff took over the operation of the farm after the death of his father, Edgar Auliff, who had purchased the place in 1941. The farm consists of 160 acres located about three miles southwest of Princeton.

"As far as I am concerned," Foster Auliff said in referring to the clause in the deed, "I will never molest the spot. It consists of only a small area, and the only work connected with it is an occasional mowing of the weeds."

*and then June 16*

## Rites Are Set For Resident Of Princeton

Mrs. Amanda Lund, 87, of Princeton, who had been making her home with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lund, of R. R. 1, LeClaire, died at 2:30 a. m. Sunday, following an illness of four-and-one-half weeks.

Mrs. Lund was born Oct. 3, 1869 in Sweden. She. Mrs. Lund came to this country in 1885 at the age of 16. On March, 1894 she was married to Christ Lund in Cedar Rapids. They farmed near Princeton until their retirement, when they moved. She was a member of the Zion Lutheran Church in Princeton.

Survivors include two sons, Harold Lund, R. R. 1, LeClaire, and Hilding Lund, Princeton Iowa, two grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren. Also surviving is the Rev. Floyd Bacon of Milford, Iowa, who was reared by Mr. and Mrs. Lund. Mrs. Lund was preceded in death by her husband, Christ Lund, and two daughters, Mrs. Ester Schlotfeldt and Miss Irene Lund.

The funeral will be held at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the McGinnis Funeral Home in Bettendorf. Burial will be in the Salem Lutheran Cemetery in Princeton.



## Livestock Dies In Barn Fire

*See*  
**\$15,000 Loss at**  
**Princeton Blaze**  
*Feb. 16*

Princeton—The Princeton fire department was called to the Cecil Striecher farm about three miles north of Princeton at 6 p. m. Sunday to fight a barn fire in zero weather. The barn, 60 x 75 feet, was completely destroyed.

It was reported that the building contained 500 bales of hay, 700 bushels of oats, some sows and pigs, a pet riding horse and cattle. Only the cattle were saved.

The fire was discovered by a nephew who saw smoke pouring from the roof. The fire department saved other buildings surrounding the barn.

The \$15,000 estimated damage is partially covered by insurance.

*Yester June 18*



#### TO BE MARRIED—

Announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. Orville Stewart, of Princeton, of the engagement and approaching marriage of their younger daughter, Darlene (above), to Russell Litscher, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John Litscher, of Princeton. The ceremony will be at 3:30 p. m. Saturday, May 11, in the Princeton Presbyterian church, with the Rev. R. Bruce West officiating at the double ring service. A reception will be held that evening in the Stewart home.

Miss Stewart and the prospective bridegroom are graduates of LeClaire high school. He is employed as a construction operating engineer after having been discharged recently from the army in which he served four years, three of which were spent in the European theater.

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## Miss Roberta Sible, David McLaughlin Speak Nuptial Vows



Mrs. David McLaughlin

First Congregational church was the setting Wednesday afternoon for the wedding of Miss Roberta Sible, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sible, 1400 South Third street, and David E. McLaughlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. George McLaughlin, 308 Thirteenth avenue, South.

Vows were spoken at two o'clock with the pastor, the Rev. Verne A. Spindell, officiating. Calla lilies, lighted tapers in candelabra, and baskets of white gladioli decorated the altar and chancel.

As the guests were assembling the organist, James Crawford, played a nuptial recital including, "Romance," Rubenstein, "Always," "Dearly Beloved," "Liebestraum," Liszt, and the traditional wedding marches. Miss Eleanor Tompkins sang "O Promise Me" and "Because."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a pearl grey gaberdine dressmaker suit with brown accessories and pink roses and white sweet peas at her shoulder.

Mrs. Anthony Kjergaard, sister of the bridegroom, was matron of honor and wore a beige dressmaker suit with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink and white carnations.

Cpl. William Niesslie attended Mr. McLaughlin as best man. Ushers were Dwayne Howson and William Norman.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Sible wore a black and white crepe afternoon dress, while Mrs. McLaughlin, mother of the bridegroom, wore black crepe and aqua accessories. Their flowers were shoulder corsages of pink sweet peas and

## Sisters Are Wed To Brothers At Double Wedding

IN THE presence of the immediate families at 3 p. m. Saturday in St. Paul's Lutheran church, two sisters became brides of two brothers.

Miss Lois L. Reinhold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Reinhold of the West Locust street road, was married to Walter H. Erfling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Erfling of Herman, Mo., and Miss Arlene Reinhold became the bride of Frank F. Erfling. One couple attended the other, with the Rev. Emerson Miller officiating.

Miss Lois Reinhold wore a light blue silk dress with fitted bodice and full skirt. Her flowers were a corsage of roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Arlene Reinhold's gown was made of white parachute silk from China, and she carried pink carnations and white sweetpeas. Each had a shoulder length veil matching her gown, held with a feathered tiara.

A dinner was served at 5 p. m. at the Reinhold home to the immediate families and a few close friends.

Mrs. Walter Erfling attended the Davenport schools and has been employed at the Lusky Candy Co.

Her husband, Walter Erfling, received his discharge from the service recently, and is employed at the Moline Motors in Moline. The couple will reside in Davenport.

Mrs. Frank Erfling, who is a graduate of the Davenport high school, was employed in the office of the Alter Co. for six years. Frank Erfling also received his release from the service recently, and he is employed in Lund's garage in Princeton. The couple will reside in Princeton.

White carnations followed the church rites, a re-ception for the bridal party, rela-tives and guests was held in the home of the bride's parents. Ad-poliments for the serving table were in the bride's chosen colors, pink and white, with a three-tiered wedding cake as the central theme and matching flowers and tapers. Assisting in the serving were Miss Bertha Nielsen, Mrs. Donald Herch, Mrs. Harold Goddard, Miss Edna Sibley and Miss Shirley Pranger. The couple left for Chicago on their wedding trip, the bride trav-eling in a blue wool dress with brown accessories. After April 1 they will be at home on a farm near Prince-ton.

## Miss Evelyn Hirl Becomes Bride of Edwin L. Michl

Before an alter decorated with pastel colored gladiolus blossoms, Miss Evelyn Hirl, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Hirl, Princeton, Ia., was united in marriage to Edwin L. Michl, son of Joseph V. Michl, 1303 Brown street, Bettendorf, at 9 a. m. Wednesday in Our Lady of Lourdes church, Bettendorf. The Rev. T. P. Coleman performed the double ring ceremony and celebrated the nuptial mass. Mrs. Robert Kincaid, sister of the bride, presented vocal selections, and Mrs. Charlotte Smith was at the organ.

Miss Elaine Hirl attended her sister as maid of honor and Eugene Michl served his brother as best man. Ushers were LaVerne Hirl, brother of the bride, and Sylvester Michl, brother of the bridegroom.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore an ivory brocaded taffeta gown fashioned with high, round neckline and net yoke, long sleeves, fitted bodice, and a full skirt which extended into a train. Her fingertip length veil of illusion fell from a tiara of satin and rhinestones and her bouquet was of white roses.

The maid of honor was dressed in blue net over taffeta and she wore a matching shoulder length veil held with a floral tiara. Yellow gladiolus blossoms formed her bouquet.

Following the ceremony a breakfast was held for 35 members of the immediate families at the Hirl home. Decorations were in the bride's chosen colors, blue and white. A reception will be held from 7 to 10 p. m. Wednesday at the same place for approximately 200 relatives and friends. The Misses Marian and Therese Michl, sisters of the bridegroom, will act as assisting hostesses.

Later the couple will leave on a wedding trip and for traveling the bride has selected a two-piece black rayon suit with matching accessories. They will make their home in Princeton.

The bride was graduated from Clinton high school and attended Mount St. Clare Junior college in Clinton and St. Ambrose and Marycrest colleges in Davenport. She is a teacher at the Princeton township school.

Mr. Michl was graduated from St. Ambrose academy and served in the army for five years, including two years' assignment in the European theater of operations. He will enter St. Ambrose college in the fall.

## Wed At Evening Ceremony

NUPTIAL vows uniting Miss Dorothy Cusick, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Cusick, 2632 East Pleasant street, and Theodore R. Sterrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sterrett of Moline, were spoken at 7 p. m. Friday in St. John's Methodist church with the Rev. J. R. Uhlinger officiating at the double ring ceremony. The altar was adorned with apricot colored gladioli and white tapers. Mrs. Ernest Anderson of Rock Island sang and Mrs. Gladys Blackman Nelson was at the organ.

Miss Elinor Bein acted as maid of honor and Miss Eileen Foley was bridesmaid. Arthur Sterrett of Chicago served his brother as best man, and ushers included Cloyd Hoover and John Erickson, both of Rock Island, Walter Dodd and David Simpson, both of Moline, and Norman Cusick of Chicago Heights, Ill., cousin of the bride.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was gowned in white with lace bodice, long sleeves and a full net skirt which extended into a short train. Her fingertip length veil of net, edged with lace matching that of her gown, was held with a beaded tiara and her bouquet was of white flowers centered with an orchid. She wore a handkerchief made by the bridegroom's grandmother and carried by his mother at her wedding.

Miss Bein wore a chiffon gown in apricot shade with shirred bodice, long sleeves and full skirt. She carried a bouquet of apricot colored roses and gladiolus blossoms and wore a matching flower arrangement in her hair. Miss Foley was attired similarly in aqua.

Following the ceremony a recep-



MRS. T. R. STERRETT

tion for about 200 relatives and friends was held at the Outing club with Mrs. Glen Winn of Hooks, Texas, an aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Ed Bein of Davenport as assisting hostesses. Pouring at the serving table were Mrs. Norman Cusick of Chicago Heights, Ill., and Mrs. Ruth Canfield of Bettendorf. The Mesadmes Cloyd Hoover, John Erickson, Walter Dodd and David Simpson assisted about the rooms, which were decorated with spring flowers.

Later the couple left on a short wedding trip and for traveling the bride had selected a lime gabardine dress with dark brown accessories with which she wore the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

The bride, a graduate of Clinton high school, attended MacMurray college in Jacksonville, Ill., and was graduated from Augustana college. She was affiliated with Kappa Sigma Theta sorority at MacMurray college, is a member of Gamma Alpha chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority and is a past worthy advisor of the Order of Rainbow for Girls.

Mr. Sterrett, a graduate of Moline high school, was a junior at Augustana college before entering the marine corps, from which he received his release in January, and is now a senior at the college. He is a past master councilor of the Order of DeMolay and holds the honorary chevalier degree and the representative of DeMolay degree for the state of Illinois. Mr. Sterrett is affiliated with Phi Omega Pi fraternity.

The couple will reside at 850 Fifteenth street, A, Moline.

Among the out-of-town guests were: Mrs. C. E. Stover of Washington, N. J., aunt of the bride; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Greenfield and son, Jack, and Mrs. Sophia Lindsay, all of Morris, Ill.; Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Cusick, Jr., uncle and aunt of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cusick, Sr., grandparents of the bride, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cusick, all of Chicago Heights, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Winn and son, Glen Winn, Jr., uncle, aunt and cousin of the bride, all of Hooks, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller, all

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## Wedding to Be Event of June 15

M<sup>R</sup>. AND M<sup>RS</sup>. DETLEF P. OELERICH of R. R. No. 1, Davenport, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Marie Oelerich, to Foster Auliff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Auliff of R. R. No. 1, LeClaire. Vows will be spoken at 2 p. m. Saturday, June 15, in the Argo United Presbyterian church with the Rev. D. O. McCamy officiating at the double ring ceremony.

Mrs. Joe Henzen of Donahue, Ia., will serve as matron of honor, and Frances Auliff and Mrs. Glen Veatch, sisters of the bridegroom-elect, will be bridesmaids. Lester Auliff will serve his brother as best man and ushers will be Howard Hamilton and Cecil Fletcher.

Following the ceremony a wedding luncheon will be served to members of the bridal party and immediate families at the bride-elect's parental home and a reception will be held from 7 to 10 p. m. No invitations are being issued but relatives and friends are welcome to attend both the ceremony and reception.

Miss Oelerich is a graduate of the Davenport high school and attended St. Ambrose and Marycrest colleges. For the past four years she has been teaching school in LeClaire township, more recently at the Argo No. 3 school. Mr. Auliff attended the Scott county schools and is at present en-



MISS DOROTHY OELERICH

gaged in farming after having served 19 months in the south Pacific with the merchant marines.

A shower will be given in the near future for the bride-to-be by her aunts, Mrs. Fred Moenck and Mrs. Louis Wedemeyer.

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## Will Wed at Saturday Ceremony

MISS Wilma E. Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel W. Shaw of LeClaire, Ia., will become the bride of Elmer Vittetoe, jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer H. Vittetoe of Durant, Ia., Saturday at 4 p. m., at a private ceremony in the Presbyterian church in LeClaire. The Rev. Marion W. Lemon will officiate, and the attendants will be Miss Jean Shaw, sister of the bride-elect, and Harold Schneider of Wilton Junction.

Miss Shaw has selected a poudre blue dress for her wedding, and her flowers will be a corsage of red roses. The maid of honor will be attired in pink and her flowers will be camellias.

Miss Shaw was graduated from the LeClaire high school and attended the American Institute of Commerce. She is employed at the First Trust & Savings bank.

Mr. Vittetoe attended the Durant schools and received his discharge recently from the army air corps after service in Korea. He will enroll at the Stevenson Auto Electric school in Kansas

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MISS WILMA E. SHAW

City, Mo. The bridal couple will leave for Kansas City immediately after the ceremony.

## Engagement Is Announced

ANNOUNCEMENT is made by the Rev. F. E. Motzkus, pastor of Salem Lutheran church, Princeton, and Mrs. Motzkus of the engagement of their eldest daughter, Miss Halcyone G. Motzkus, to Anton Toft, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Toft of Camanche, Ia. No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Motzkus was graduate from the high school in Medford, Wis., and the Junior college of Oldenburg, Ind. She attended Carthage college in Carthage, Ill., the Conservatory of Music, in Cincinnati, Ohio, and Temple University in Philadelphia.

Before accepting a position at the Davenport Public Library last March, she was on the staff of the Free Library in Philadelphia.

Mr. Toft, who is a graduate of the LeClaire high school, is at present attending Augustana college. Until his recent release, he



MISS HALCYONE MOTZKUS.

was in the army air force for four years, serving in the European theater of operations as a navigator, with the rank of captain.

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## Select March 19 as Wedding Day

MISS Margaret G. Von Ahnen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Von Ahnen, 3622 Rockingham road, and LeGrand Heldt, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Heldt of Long Grove, have chosen March 19 as the date for their wedding. Their engagement was announced in January.

Vows will be spoken at 10:30 a. m. in the parsonage of the Lutheran church in Princeton, Ia., with the Rev. Mr. Motzkus officiating. Miss Betty Scrivens of Davenport will be maid of honor and William Stuff of LeClaire will serve as best man.

A wedding dinner for the immediate families and bridal party will be served at noon at the Von Ahnen home. A reception for all relatives and friends will be held at the same place from 7 to 10 p. m.

Miss Von Ahnen is a graduate of the Davenport high school and is employed at the Independent Biscuit Co. Mr. Heldt, a graduate of the LeClaire high school, served six years in the navy which included duty on three destroyers and a motor mine sweeper in the ETO, South Pacific, North Atlantic and the Aleutians. He is now employed at the Uchtroff Co.



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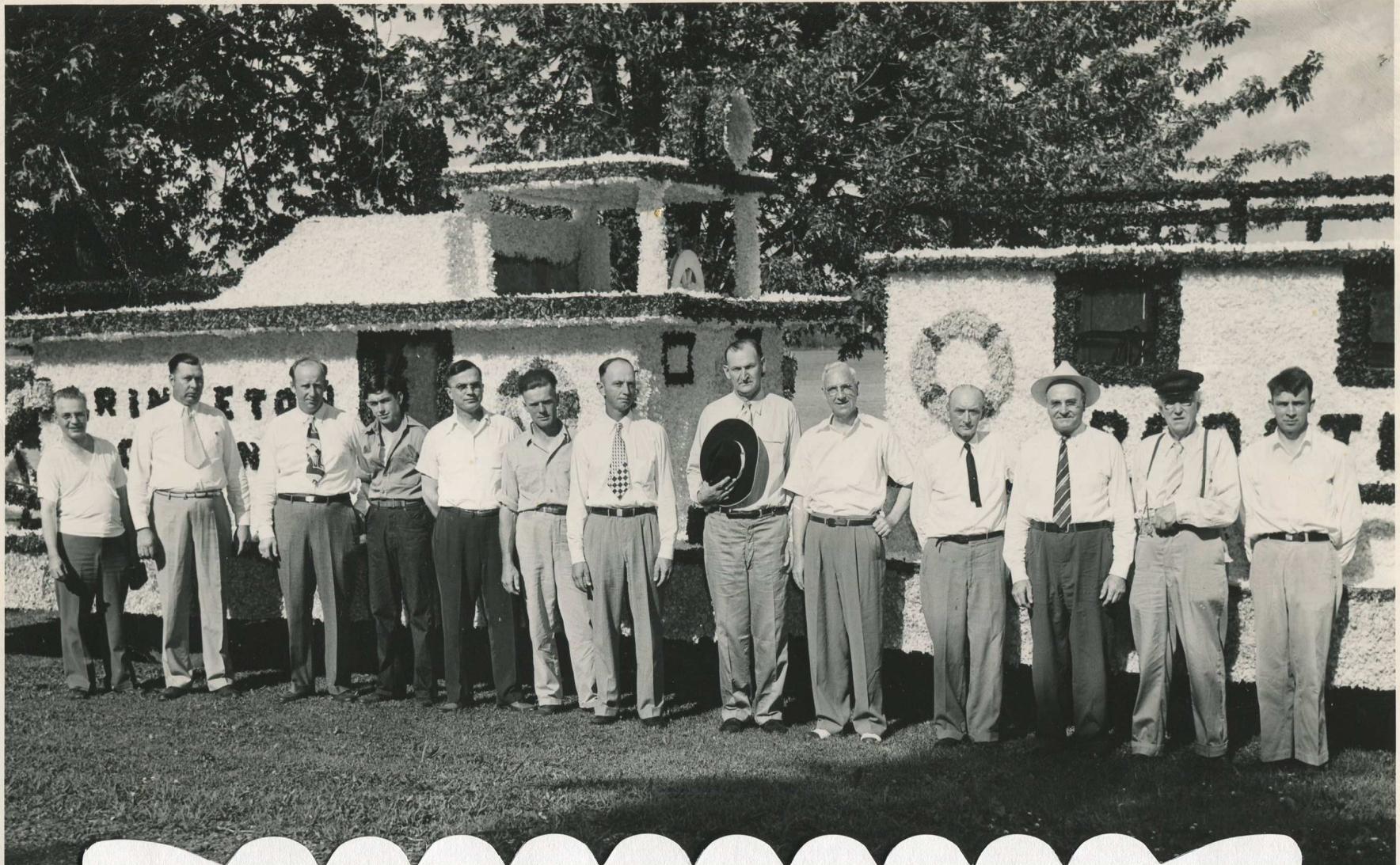
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## Willard Speer and Family Returning Home, From Germany



### Princeton Treasure Hunt Successful

With the poem, Hikety, Picketty My Black Hen, lays fine eggs for gentlemen, lads and lassies get your fate, on —'s Chicken yard gate. Even though Roxy Ernsberger was a member of the treasure hunting group last Wednesday night, he just couldn't figure out that the blanks spelled Roxy. He thought of Parr, Long and even guided the group to McKnights, thinking it possibly meant John. He has vowed for sure that black hen will be alive next year to cause so much trouble.

Fifty-four members and visitors of the Presbyterian church choir enjoyed a costume party, treasure hunt and a party, a Virginia Reel in Elliott's hall followed by refreshments. Music was furnished by Charlie Gilbert.

The costumes were very striking. There was Melvin Dodds as the flirtatious dame, LaVerne Gilbert, the gallant Cavalier with his guitar. There was a pirate, big game hunter, Aunt Fannie, a devil, Yekkman, Mother Hubbard, Artist, Lone Ranger, Farmerettes, bums and Senoritas. The fine costumes and large crowd showed the interest the group has in their organization. The affair was planned by Mrs. Allen Elliott, leader, and Mrs. Dick Hoist, pianist, who have worked faithfully with the choir for nearly five years. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ernsberger assisted at the party.

The group meets each Thursday night in the church during the summer and have met in the Elliott home during the cold weather months. Every Sunday morning there are always between twenty and thirty in the choir for church service at which time they have a special number.

A skating party December 1 will be the next social affair of the group.

Everyone went home tired from the party last week after walking blocks and blocks carrying back the hidden treasures (when unwrapped, were bricks), but all reported a wonderful time and thanks to those responsible.

### GREEN TREE GAINS RECOGNITION

Notice was recently made to LeClaire's Green Tree in the Daily Times and we quote. "Among the historic trees mentioned in 'A Natural History of Trees of Eastern and Central America' by Donald Culross Peattie is the wide-spreading elm at LeClaire, Iowa, which has national fame. The Green Tree, as it is called, so alluded to in this account as 'the green hotel' of travelers and rivermen in the days of Mark Twain's boyhood. They say that Buffalo Bill played beneath the tree when he was a child . . . When a railroad obtained a right-of-way through LeClaire, along the riverbank its citizens refused to let it pass unless it rounded its way around the Green Tree."

### Community Chest Drive Continues

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Community Chest gifts are still being accepted. If you have to do not to any of the organizations in the Quad-Cities, why not donate to your community where your own town may get the benefit. Donations will still be received by the merchants or any of the following Community Chest officers: Mrs. Inez Huelt, secretary; Mrs. Olaf Brockhouse, Mrs. DeWitt Bragonier, Mr. Henry Hogge, Mr. Percy Huelt, Mr. Bernard Bennet.

You will receive a card to show that you donated in your own community.

The following have made donations this year:

Mr. James Clark  
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### P.T.A. Program In LeClaire, Huge Success

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A large crowd of adults and children of LeClaire and surrounding territory were entertained by a wonderful cast of local talent sponsored by the PTA Friday evening, October 27th.

The opening act was introduced which featured our own Accordion band. This was followed by a tap dance featuring the Havill sisters. The Westerners consisting of three boys played and sang hill billy songs accompanied by a guitar. Priscilla Buck, a tiny Miss, played the accordion and sang. The Havill sisters were introduced again, this time with their fine and talented acrobatic number. Darlene LeClaire's screwball comedian, kept the audience in stitches with her own arrangement of "I Didn't Know The Gun Was Loaded." The girls trio gave a fine performance of popular songs.

The added attraction came next with Mr. Schnoor and his fine art of magic tricks which kept adults as well as children spell bound. Following was another fine number by the Havill sisters. An enormous applause followed when "Chapie" Morgan thrilled the audience with his dancing doll. Again the star performer, Mr. Schnoor was brought back and delighted the audience with his ventriloquist act. The three Moore boys sang hill billy songs. A wonderful exhibition of square dancing was given.

The grand finale consisted of a body of girl students singing, "Shine on Harvest Moon" which was joined in by the audience.

An unestimated sum was realized. The correct amount will be given after the next meeting of the PTA. With many merchants and people cooperating it went

### LeClaire-Princeton Weekly To Cover Entire Community

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Starting the last publication of the month of November the LeClaire-Princeton Weekly will circulate the entire community, including LeClaire and its rural route Princeton and its rural route, Argo, Eldridge, Long Grove, McCausland, and Pleasant Valley.

The routine will be followed up once a month being the last issue of each month. The other three issues in the month will be carried on as before.

The reason for this is to stimulate interest in the readers in the area not subscribers to your local paper and increasing circulation for that one week each month for the merchant and his advertising program. The guaranteed circulation for this entire territory will guarantee results. Our expectations for that issue is an increase in news and pictures and also an increase in advertising.

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### Princeton Organizes

#### Air Raid Group

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In accordance with the Eastern Air Defense, Newburgh, New York and the State Civil Defense director Cedar Rapids, Princeton has organized their local air raid warning post. The post is supervised by William J. Parr with Leonard Graham acting as chief observer.

Those participating in its operation as observers are Glen Miller, Thomas Frazer, Gayle Dannatt, Dale Damer, George Vorlath, Joe Wilkinson, Wilbur Kroeger, Howard Reinhold, LaVerne Hirl, James Hirl, Sam Havenhill, Lloyd Tague, Jesse Gast, Frank Erling, Harold Woerner, Bob Southworth, Charles Schultz.

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### Roy H. Suiter Age 55 Dies

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### "Know Your Neighbors"

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By Raejean White

Ed Note: This is the first of a series of articles about the people of LeClaire and surrounding territory. Raejean White wrote us some weeks ago telling us what she thought would be a good feature story for us to run every week in the LeClaire — Princeton Weekly. This is it. In fact we thought it was so good we asked Raejean if she would consider doing a similar article for this paper every week. The title is Raejean's as are the words and we hope you enjoy reading about your neighbor's as much as we enjoy bringing them to you.



LE CLAIRE CHURCH CONDUCTS  
EVERY MEMBER CANVASS

The Le Claire Presbyterian church will be conducting its every member canvass the week of November 5 to 12. The canvass gets underway Sunday afternoon, November 5.

### Irene Anders, Mardi Gras Queen

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The Hallowe'en Mardi Gras is over and all the LeClaire students must get back to their lessons. But we think they are well satisfied. Everyone was there, did you see them? The parade was really something to watch. There were so many floats and funny groups that I think that it was certainly hard for the judges to choose the best ones.

LeClaire's float did not win a prize, but all the LeClaire students fully supported the Snow White and Seven Dwarfs' theme. We think they are satisfied though, why shouldn't they be? Their Queen candidate was picked as the Mardi Gras Queen. Also who should do the drawing for the attendants than Marshala Bragonier. Irene received \$25 and the LeClaire school \$50.

Marshala was dressed like a bunny and like all the rest of the kids enjoyed a fine program that was brought to the students by the merchants and friends of Davenport and surrounding communities. There was just every kind of entertainment that was unusual and I had not seen anything exactly like it before.

After the show, high school young people attended the big dance held at the Coliseum. It was full of young people from all over the country. I know every one of them enjoyed every minute of it, at least from where I was looking on they did. The band was good and so were the singers that went with it.

We should pay tribute to Sheriff Beuse, his friends, and his deputies for taking the time to give the children this wonderful evening so

In the picture accompanying this story is Vernon Norman Arvet, 9 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Arvet. We would like you all to know the Arvet family, they live in the George Andrews home on Cody Road. Vernon "Buddy" is the little boy that had the misfortune to be born with club feet, and hands. He was born June 10, 1941 in California. Buddy was two years old when he learned to walk and even then his little feet were turned so that he had to walk on the sides of his feet. Buddy was taken to several doctors in California from time to time, having casts put on his legs, surgery was performed at one time to see if that would help but it didn't seem to.

A few weeks ago Buddy's parents took him to Rock Island and the Rev. Jagger, who is known as the great healer, prayed for him and through an act of God, Buddy no longer needs his braces.

Buddy has one brother, Leon. Leon was also born in California. The family left California moving to Vine Grove, Kentucky, where the boys attended school. They moved to LeClaire last fall,

### Princeton Hallowe'en Parade Success

#### FLOAT WINS FIRST IN DAVENPORT MARDI GRAS

The Princeton Hallowe'en parade started off on schedule with ninety-two pupils participating, all in costume. The parade was led by a band and followed by Queen Nancy Elliott and attendants Beverly Burkamper and Joyce Lund.

The grand prize was awarded to James Klenne, who was riding on a donkey. Other prizes going to James Fawcett, Carolyn Vorlath, Bobby Pain, Donald Jones, Larry Klemme and Peggy Vorlath. The group prize was awarded to Mrs. Fawcett's room with the theme "Pikes Peak or Bust".

The parade started at the school and proceeded up main street. The judges were Mrs. Will Rogers, Mrs. Kenneth Adams and Mr. Kleeburg.

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## LeClaire Personals

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The "Jolly Twelve" bunco club met Thursday at the home of Helen Roberts. Prizes were awarded to Glenna Pendleton, Betty Clemons, Dorothy Musal, Raejean White, Marge McKinney, Darleen Dittmer and Peggy Mohr. The next meeting will be November 30, at 1:30 p. m. at the home of Betty Clemons.

Darlene Jenkins attended the annual Hallowe'en frolic in Camanche at the Community Hall.

Marvin Johnson, formerly of LeClaire and now of New Jersey visited with friends in LeClaire Thursday and Friday, among them were Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Martin Margaret Winrow and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKinney. Marvin spent six years in the navy and is now attending the Philadelphia University.

Gerald Johnson is expecting a call into the service any day now.

Mrs. Grace Teeter visited with friends in LeClaire Friday.

Barbara Gyenge visited her parents over the week-end. She attended the Home Talent show Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ale of Preston, Ia., parents of Mrs. Joe Mohr, were Sunday guests at the Mohr home. They took their little granddaughter,

Mrs. Hazel Jack visited her son Warren at the Great Lakes Naval Station over the week-end. She found he was getting along nicely and is looking forward to being able to attend his graduation there in the near future.

Adrena Whicker of Rock Island was a LeClaire visitor over the week-end.

Mrs. Donna Spillman was hostess to a Stanley party in her home Thursday evening.

The Irvin Bixbys of Long Grove visited the Ellis Roberts family Sunday afternoon.

Wm. McKinney family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Mary Woeller of Davenport.

Calvin Hultquist has returned to school this week after spending a week in bed with his sore foot.

"Corky" Hultquist and "Chick" Stewart had a birthday party Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stewart had a birthday dinner for Chuckie Sunday afternoon, his grandma Stewart and aunt Alma were guests.

Mrs. Helen Talbot was taken to St. Anthony's hospital Sunday after she had pulled a muscle in her

ents Day and to visit their daughter, Joy, who is in school there.

Those who are interested in writing to boys in the service. This is John Rynott's address:

Sgt. John L. Rynot  
A F 17169356  
3756 Student Sqdn.  
Sheppard Field, acb  
Wichita Falls, Texas.

Marvin Johnson of Kelliber, Minnesota, a former resident of LeClaire visited in LeClaire Thursday, October 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bowker spent last Saturday in Monmouth attending Parents Day and visiting their son, Eugene, who is in college there.

Preliminary plans have been made by the PTA of Sycamore school for a fall festival to be held at the school November 18, starting at 7 p. m. Mrs. C. F. Hackett has been named chairman, with Mrs. Delbert Vaughn, Arnold Bowers, and Waren Bowser on the committee. Entertainment will include an auction, a country store, pony rides, a baked goods sale and variety numbers.

The LeClaire township boys 4-H club met Thursday night at the home of Joe Ramsdale.

Girls 4-H club meeting scheduled for Saturday include LeClaire Boosters at the home of Betty and Mary Lively, and the Busy Bees of Pleasant Valley township at the home of Mary Spencer.

, MARCH 17, 1948  
DAILY TIMES, WEDNE

## Funeral Today for Dr. McElderry, Former Physician of Princeton

OTTUMWA, Ia. — (Special) — Funeral services for Dr. Donald McElderry, 74, former Ottumwa and Princeton physician who died Monday at the Veteran's hospital in Des Moines, will be this afternoon at the Johnson funeral chapel, conducted by Chaplain Deloss Marken of the Veteran's hospital in Des Moines. Burial will be in Agency cemetery.

Dr. McElderry was born February 28, 1874, at Fairfield, the son of John R. and Isabelle F. McElderry. He took up the practice of medicine in Agency in 1908, and eight years later moved to Ottumwa where he practiced until 1942. In that year he went to Princeton, in Scott county.

He was a captain in World War I, entering the service in September of 1917 and was discharged in February of 1919 at Camp Sheridan, Ala.

He was a past president of the Wapello County Medical society, a member of the O. B. Nelson post No. 3, American Legion, of the A. F. & A. M., lodge No 16, Ottumwa, and the Zarephath cun-sistory of Davenport

Surviving are his wife, Edith; a son, Frank McElderry, Des Moines attorney; a foster son, Lt. Comdr. Harold Buell, New Port, R. I.; four grandchildren; a brother, Dr. C. A. McElderry, Los Angeles; and two sisters, Miss Grace McElderry, Englewood, Calif., and Mrs. Helen Hendershot, Des Moines. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Sadie, in November of 1946.

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THURSDAY JUNE 12

## Mass Meeting Princeton Town Hall Thursday

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JUNE 19th — 8 P.M.

All persons residing in Princeton and LeClaire, who are interested in helping Princeton obtain necessary railroad crossing protection, are urged to attend a huge mass meeting called by the Princeton Town Council Thursday nite, June 19 at 8 p.m.

Mr. Earl Smith, of Des Moines, attorney for Princeton urges the necessity for this meeting. Plans are to be made for the court battle at the Scout County Court house the following day, Friday, June 20, at 10:30 a.m. Mr. Smith states that Princeton must have a large representation at this hearing. Transportation is to be furnished by all Princeton organizations for those wishing to go.

In order to present Princetons worthy case against the railroad it is necessary for all residents who can go to attend. This issue pertains to LeClaire as well as Princeton as many LeClaire residents have been jeopardized by crossing Princeton's unprotected railroad crossings.

At the mass meeting information obtained from persons who were lucky to escape death in near tragedies will be collected. Your life and that of some one dear to you — might be the issue if you fail to help gain this protection for Princeton.

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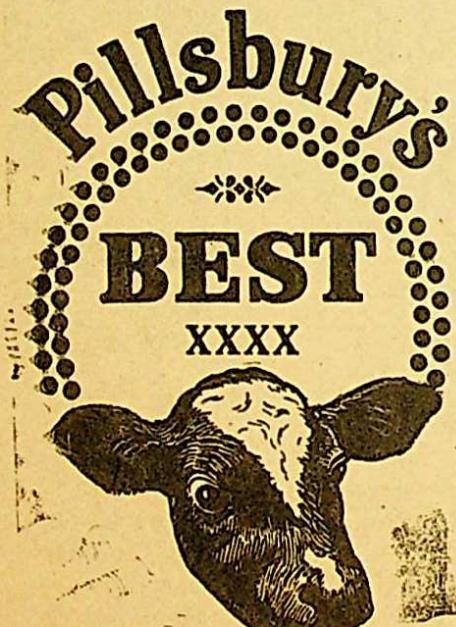
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## Rubbish Fire Sunday Nite

PRINCETON — A fire in a rubbish fill on the bank of the river, south of Lund's warehouse, was extinguished by the Princeton fire department about 7:45 Sunday evening.

One truck under the direction of Allen Elliott, assistant fire chief, answered the alarm. The water supply on the truck was adequate to put out the blaze and dampen surrounding rubbish. It was not determined how the fire started.

## LE CLAIRE HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING NOVEMBER 24

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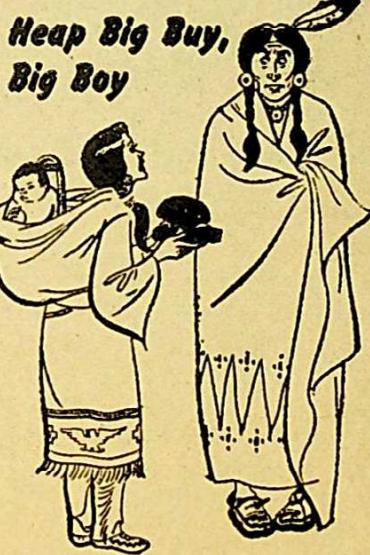
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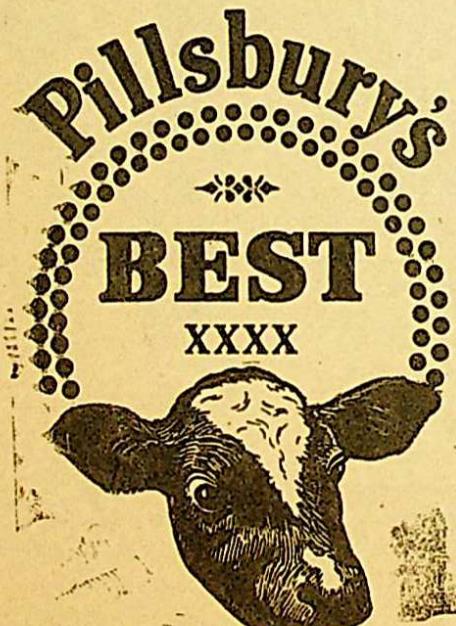
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# Burglars Rob Princeton Store in Early-Morning 'Inside' Break-in

Princeton — (Special) —

Burglars who ransacked the H. E. Lund Implement company store here early Sunday stole \$2,000 in cash and checks and \$1,000 more in merchandise.

Company officials termed the robbery "an inside job," claiming that the men who ransacked the building not only "knew what they were doing" but also "knew their way around the building."

The building, well stocked with general merchandise in addition to extensive vehicle-repair facilities, was entered early Sunday morning by thieves who spent at least an hour prowling through the store, opening two cash registers and using acetylene torches found in the building to burn a hole in the front of the office safe.

Entry was made through punching a hole in two panes of glass in a window at the rear. That left an opening of about eight by 18 inches for one of the burglars to squeeze through and open a garage entrance. Davenport law enforcement officials, who took fingerprint samples from the entered window and the cash registers, observed that heavily-imbedded car tracks near the store indicated a lot of heavy merchandise was removed.

The owner, H. E. Lund, pointed out that the burglary must have been performed by "knowing" individuals because all of the equipment used in opening the safe was found inside the store—including the torches, which had to be removed from their cart and placed on a narrower one so that they could fit through the office doorway.

Besides the \$2,000 taken from the safe, small change was removed from the cash registers. Also taken: a small radio, an electric fan, a 12-gauge shotgun, a .22 pistol, several wrist watches, razors, a man's jacket and an undetermined additional amount of merchandise.

Among the items ignored by the burglars: two floor-model television sets, car radios and 1,001 other items usually found in a general merchandise store.

Lund pointed out that an unsuccessful attempt was made about six months ago to enter the store through another back window. He said the contents were partially insured.

Neighbors told law-enforcement officials they heard two cars pull up to the building shortly after midnight, but instead of suspecting a burglary they thought an employee was repairing a vehicle in the early hours, as is sometimes done here.

Lund, who closed up Saturday night at 11 p. m., discovered the break-in when he reopened the store at 8:15 a. m. Sunday. He lamented the fact that, contrary to his usual habit, he hadn't taken the checks home with him Saturday night. He estimated that, of the \$2,000 taken, about half of that amount was in checks.



H. E. Lund, owner of Princeton's Lund Implement company, is shown here indicating to law enforcement officials the torch-cut hole in the office safe through which burglars pulled about \$2,000 in cash and checks early Sunday.

## Margaret Hamilton <sup>Wed</sup> Guest at Courtesies <sup>1952</sup>

Princeton—Twenty friends were entertained this week at a pre-nuptial courtesy for Miss Margaret Hamilton, who will marry Harold B. Anderson at 8 p. m. April 16 in Argo U.B. church. Mrs. Clarence Bawker, Mrs. Roland Speer and Barbara Jo were hostesses in the Bawker home. Game winners were Miss Hamilton, Nancy Elliott, Mrs. H. A. Anderson, Mrs. Raymond Hamilton, Jean and Joan Hamilton, Dorothy Ann Hamilton and Marie McGinnis.

Another shower was conducted recently in the Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale home at Argo, with 16 persons attending. Mrs. Allen Elliott and daughter, Nancy, will entertain at a dinner party next Wednesday night.

## Princeton Servicemen Spend Leaves at Home <sup>April 1952</sup>

XPrinceton—Hugh McGregor, who has been on active duty with an observation unit in Korea, is enjoying a thirty-day furlough with friends here.

Leroy Finnigan has returned home from Korea. He is the husband of the former Ernestine Kitchen.

Melvin Dodds has returned to Norfolk, Va., after 10 days' leave with his wife and relatives.

BEUSE'S RESTAURANT: HOME OF GOOD FOOD



IN THE BEGINNING:

Sunday, February 28th, 1948, a bright and beautiful 50' day, we drove to Princeton, Iowa, taking with us clothing and other special items. Tomorrow, we will move to Princeton to be part owners of a riverview tavern.

Monday, March 1, at 5:30 a.m. it was snowing hard, movers were to arrive at 7:00, it was a wet snow and amounting to several inches. George and I arrived in Princeton about 1:00, the movers not till 3:00, they had problems on Country Club Hill, almost leaving the road. The whole week was very cold, down below zero.

Our menu for the restaurant was mostly soup, chili and sandwiches at first. Then the fare was increased to noon lunches, pie and etc. Our customers were mostly local business men from Princeton and LeClaire and traveling salesmen.. In the fall and winter we had euchre games, free coon suppers, deer and elk, it was a treat for those who liked wild game.

In spring of 1953, we gained full ownership of the business and started Beuse's Restaurant, featuring catfish, chicken, steaks, and other meats. Most of our soups were made from scratch and some of our salad dressings were homemade. A speciality dressing was Beuse's Supreme, which many people liked. We also offered a variety of crackers and the relish trays were shaped like a boat and had 6 compartments. Tables were covered with green table clothes and green napkins were used.

We were able to take care of large groups, the Scott County Bankers came for our catfish dinners, boaters were always in and out, too. At one time a large group of people from the Chicago area would rent houseboats in Clinton on Friday and spend the week-end on the river, they would make reservations for dinner. This group was enjoyed by all, they were very nice people. After their dinner they would gather down at the Boat Club and sing folk songs, some they made up themselves. Many of these folks were very good musicians using a broom, wash-tub and other make shift items.

Our help was from the local area, many were teens who were bus persons or kitchen help. Our bartenders were Dave McLaughlin, Don Schmidt and Ernie Pruitt. Cooks were Anne Beuse Schmidt, Margaret Pruitt, Mary Lay and Ray Chelar.

Catfish was purchased in the fall, enough for the winter and spring season. It would be tub after tub full, that would need to each be scrubbed and packed in boxes and quick frozen. Irvin Faur was our main supplier and the fish was stored at Kröeger's Locker until we got our own freezing area after the Boat Club on the lower level was formed.

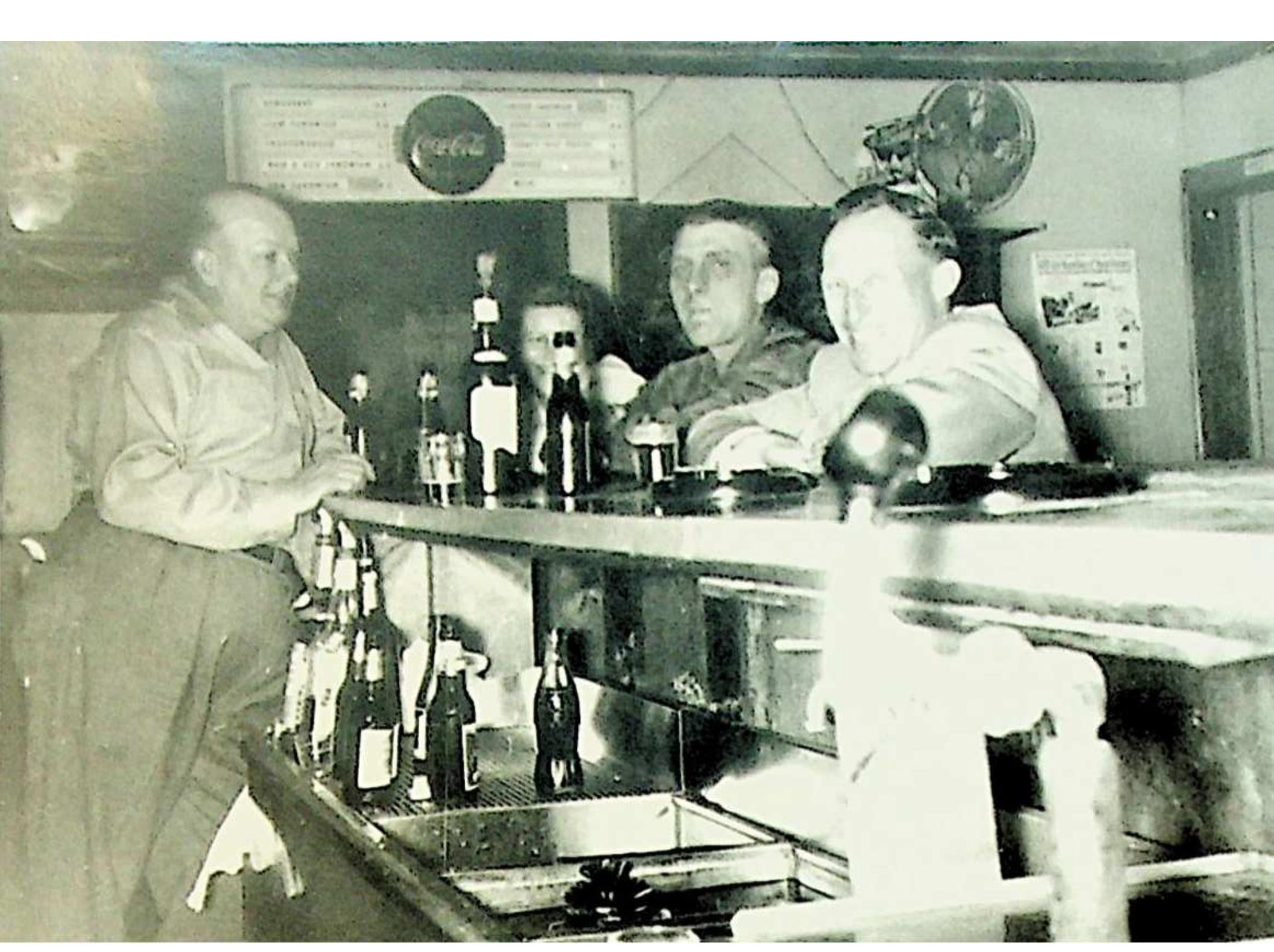
Our customers came from many areas then and many people after moving away would drop in to be with us for dinner and a visit. January 1, 1963 the business was sold to Paul and Dorothy Kernan, they were permitted to use our trade name.

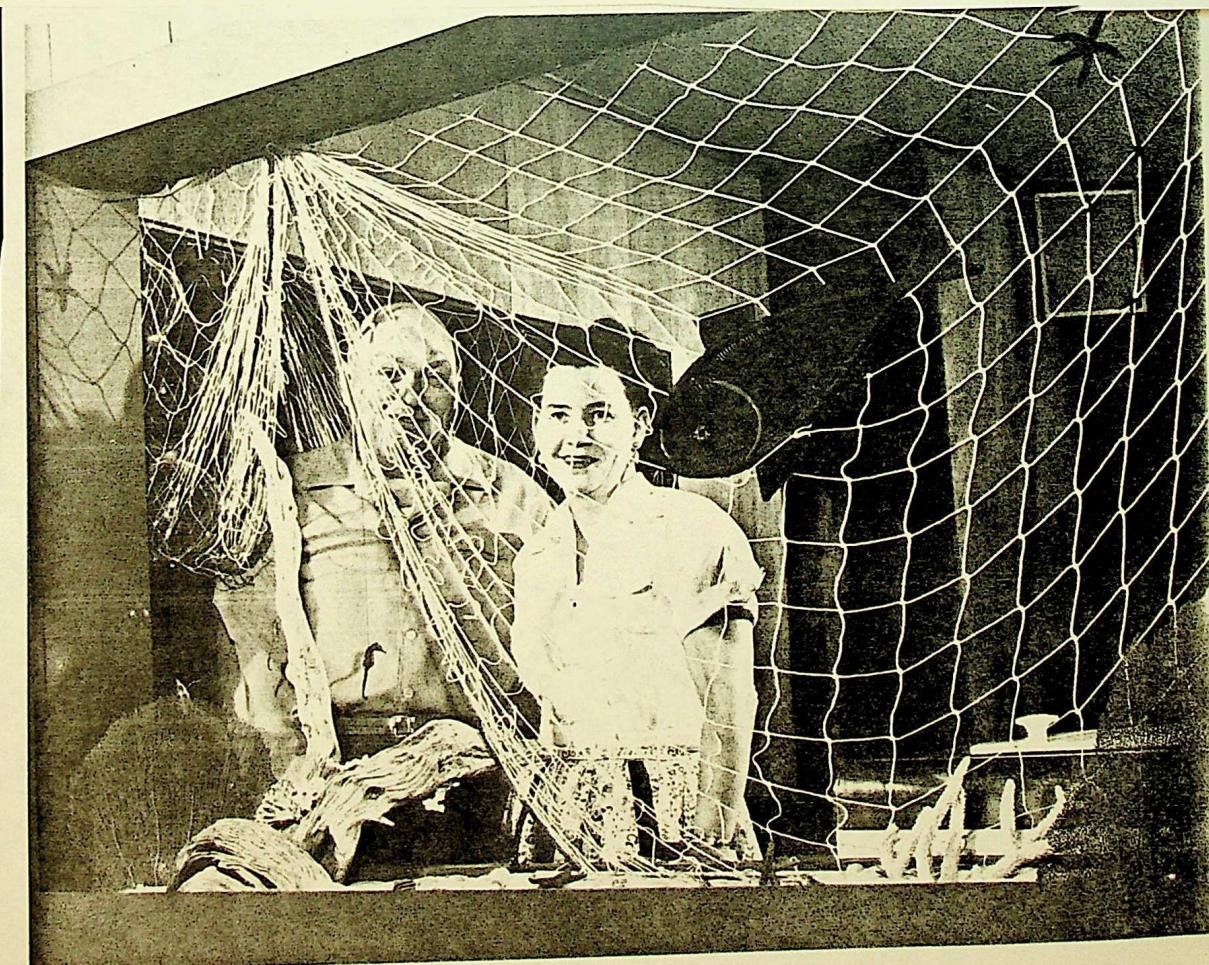
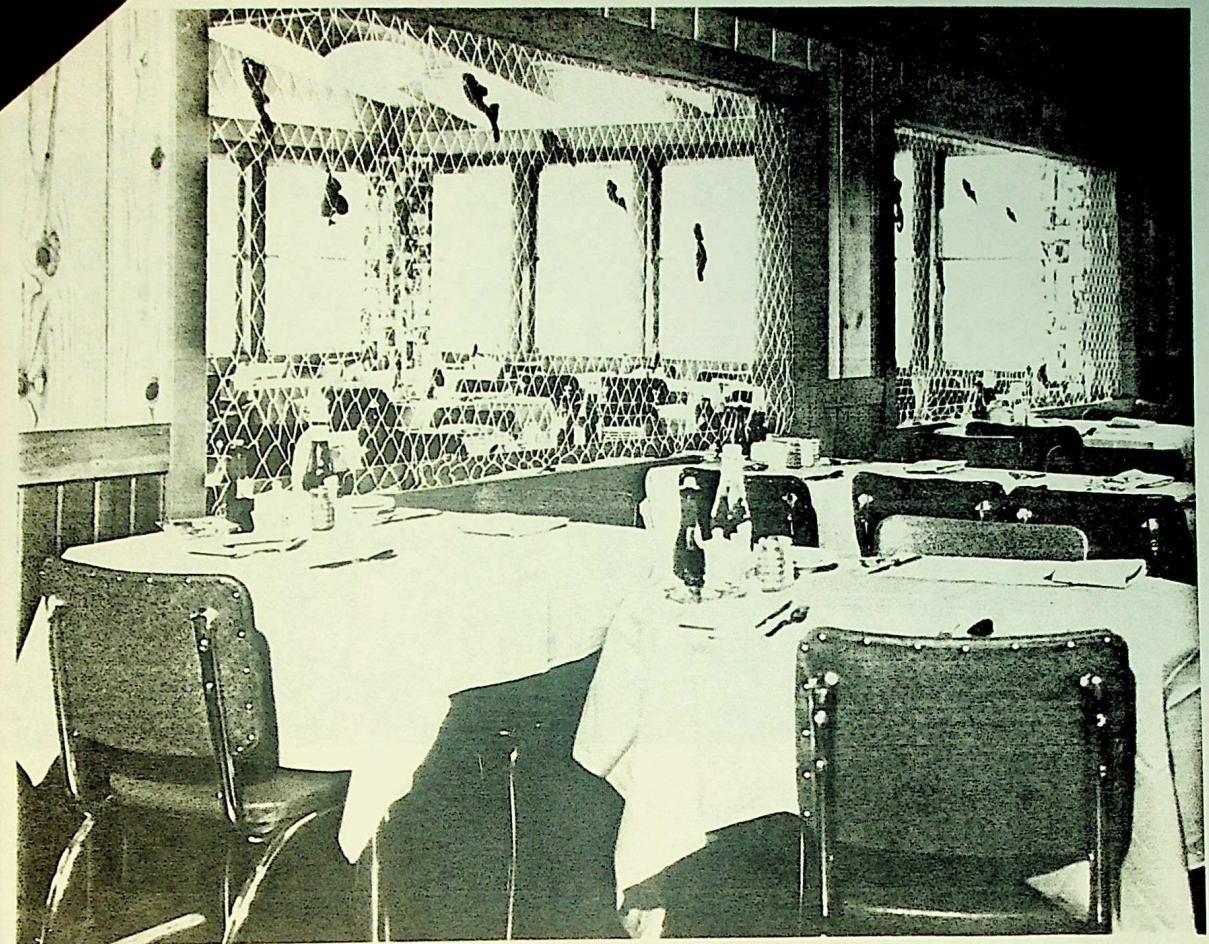
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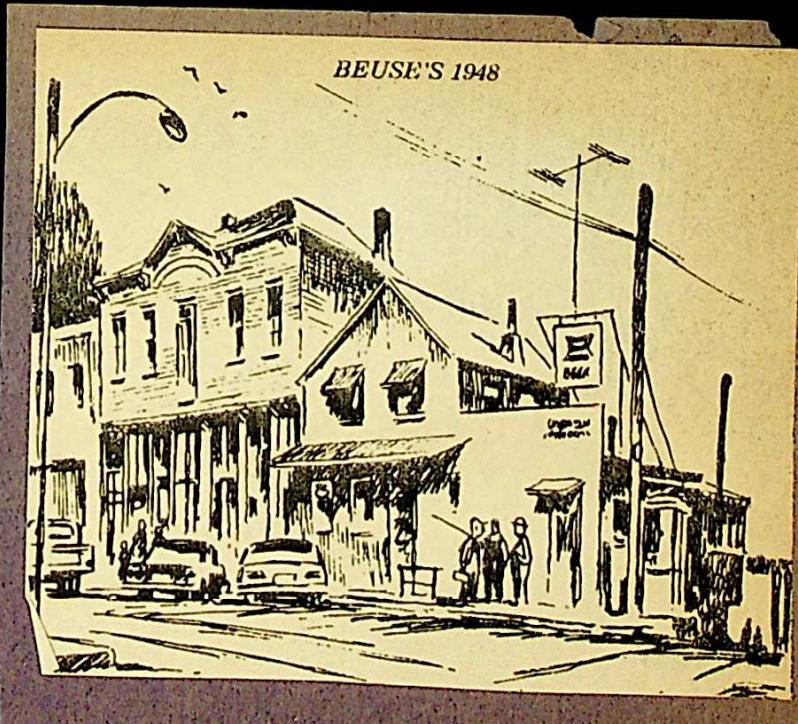
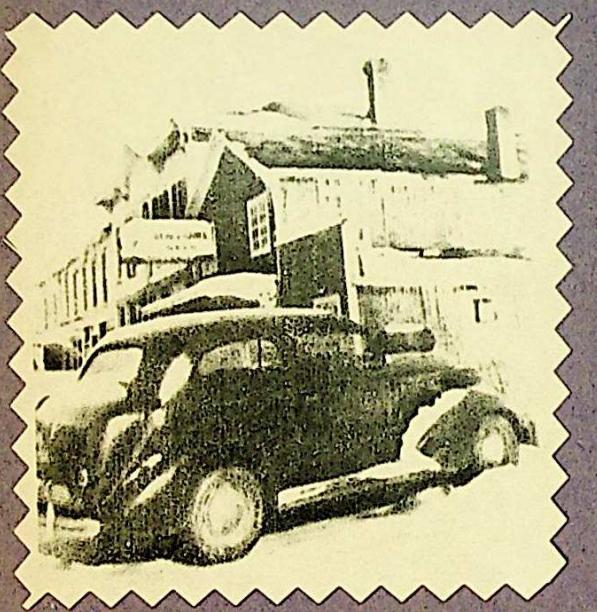
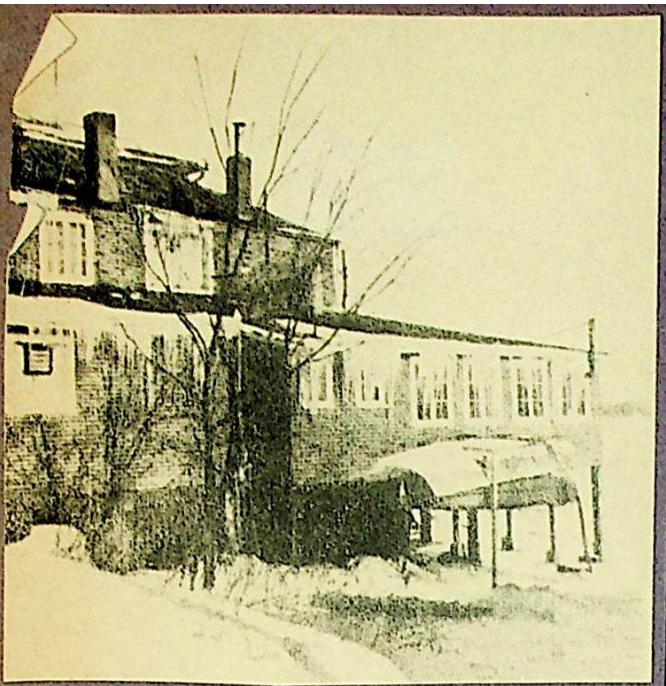


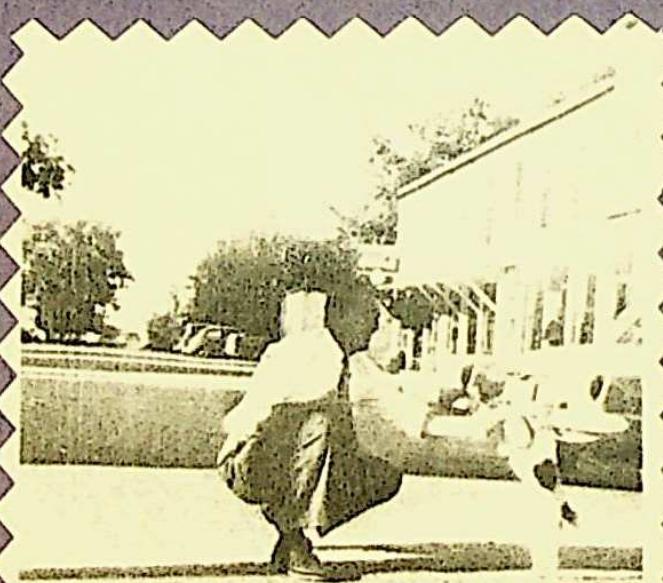
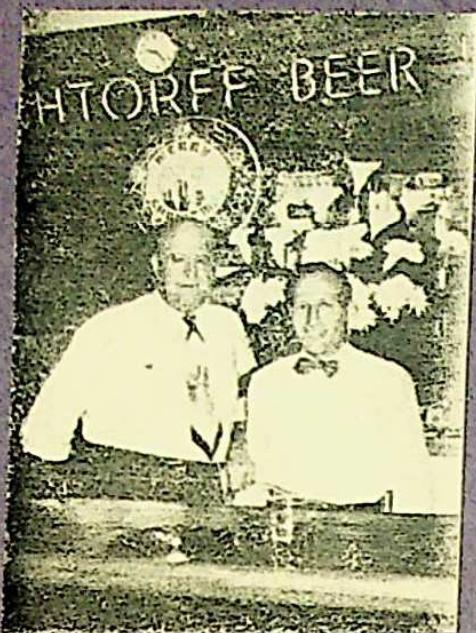
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## Al Grosz To Wrestle Pro

On January 12 the Princeton Community Hall will be boozing with activity, with three Wrestling bouts taking place between the ropes. Al Grosz, our local matman will wrestle, Ruffhouse Kelley, best in the midwest.

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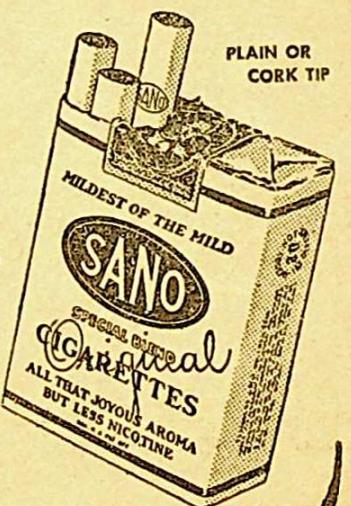
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claims she learned scurrying the hard way, so modern day girls wrestling just comes "naturally" to her. Romona, called the Blond Bomber, is more than a match for the best in the game if she is allowed to get by with rough tactics. The Blond Bomber is barred from wrestling in three states because of her unorthodox manner.

The other match between Donna De Laun, World's champion Lady Wrestler and Christine Ray, former Worlds lightweight champion.

Donna De Laun, from Kansas City, Mo., is the present title holder and has held the title and defended it against all competition for the past two years. There have been others claiming the title but De Laun is recognized by the Independent Girl Wrestlers as their champion. Her favorite hold is the flying scissors. Donna was featured in last month's issue of the European Wrestling News. She also excels in other sport. She was a former star basketball player on the All-American Redheads. Christine, the former lightweight champion, a pretty southern belle, classified as the greatest crowd pleaser in Women's wrestling. It is known that few male mat stars employ as many wrestling holds as does Christine.

We are all familiar with Al Grosz and his fighting tactics. He has been entered in many wrestling matches in and around Le Claire and Princeton and has, to the knowledge of this reporter, never lost a match. We are proud of his ability in this game and are sure his fans will all want to be there to see Al add another name to his already long list of victories.

Remember he day, Thursday, January 12 and the time, 8 o'clock sharp.

**FRIDAY**

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

### Princeton, Iowa

The Town Council of Princeton, Iowa, met in regular session June 6, 1955, Mayor Ken Purington presiding. Present: Peitscher, Litscher, Suiter. Absent: Wilkinson, Woomert.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report: Receipts: Dog License \$2.00, Fine \$5.00, Library Rent \$15.00, Road Use Tax \$145.57, County Treasurer - Taxes \$601.81. Balance on hand \$2959.73. Moved by Peitscher, seconded by Litscher that treasurer's report be accepted. All yeas. Motion carried.

Bills presented:

Dav. Bank & Trust Co.  
Int. on bonds ..... \$45.00  
Princeton Telephone Ex.  
May bill ..... 4.20  
Ia. - Ill. Gas & Elec Co.  
Lights ..... 66.15  
The Weekly News  
Publishing ..... 5.00  
Omar Printing Co.  
Publishing ..... 3.60  
Glen O. Brown  
Marshall's Salary ..... 60.00  
John Mohlman  
Street Labor ..... 64.00  
Tom O'Toole  
City Hall & St Labor .... 26.00  
K. L. Purington  
Speedometer Test ..... 1.50  
Bills Floral Co.  
Memorial Wreath ..... 7.00  
Dodge & Gilbert Co.  
"G" Blade for tractor .... 120.00  
Cecil Hamilton  
Asphalt & Rock ..... 127.50  
Arnold V. Holst  
Bulldozing Dump ..... 9.00  
Employees Mutual  
Add'l prem on wkmn's  
Comp. Ins. ..... 22.30

Moved by Litscher, seconded by Suiter that bills be paid. All yeas. Motion carried.

Harley Walker appeared before Council to request opening street adjacent to his property. Matter was referred to street committee.

Moved by Suiter, seconded by Peitscher that cigarette permits be granted to present holders provided they present bonds in order. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Peitscher, seconded by Litscher that meeting be adjourned. All yeas. Motion carried.

Harriet A. Shaw, Town Clerk.

11-10-54 *The Weekly News*

**Wednesday**

### FROM THE MAYOR

At this time I wish to commend the youngsters good behavior during the Halloween Season. While a few pranks were evident within the corporate limits of our town they were of a nature of fun and not outright vandalism. Marshall Brown's office was not completely equipped but he intended to make a trip to the nearest corn-shelling bee to obtain the necessary equipment.

Several street lights have been the target of B\*B gun enthusiasts lately and I issue the warning that the Marshall and several others are watching for those responsible and we have a good idea as to who it is. Parents are requested to remind their small-fry of the fact that the Light Company intends to prosecute to the fullest extent of the law.

Our teen-age drivers are rapidly becoming an example for some of our adult 'Barney Oldfields'. Congratulations fellows! Speed limits and stop signs are for the protection of one and all and closer attention to these matters is mandatory. Several have been warned and it is hoped that we need not prosecute anyone, but are prepared and intend to do so if necessary.

Thanking you for your co-operation and hoping to see one and all at the fireman's Dance this Friday night. Your purchase of a couple of tickets is a way of saying thanks to the volunteers who make it possible for you to have such excellent fire protection. Buy the tickets whether you can attend or not.

Sincerely,  
Mayor Ken Purington

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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts -----	\$260,288.23
U. S. Governm't Securities \$489,577.33	
Other Securities ----- 500.00	
Cash Reserve ----- 194,874.77	684,952.10
Overdrafts ----- 166.89	
Bank Building and Fixtures 5,900.00	
Total Resources -----	\$951,307.22

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock (Common) -	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus & Profits -----	30,656.33
Deposits -----	895,650.89
Total Liabilities -----	\$951,307.22

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December 31, 1938 -----	\$463,947.32
<b>December 31, 1943</b> -----	<b>\$951,307.22</b>

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**Visiting around Iowa**

by Joe Marsh

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**Iowa's Big Floods**

Those terrible floods that hit Eastern and Western Iowa this spring did more than set new high water marks.

They proved what grand neighbors Iowa people are.

Thousands of people took flood victims into their homes, helped them through their time of trouble, assisted them in getting started again.

That's real Iowa neighborliness for you—neighborliness that believes in treating the other fellow as we'd like to be treated ourselves. Folks didn't ask families which lodge they belonged to, or which party they voted for, when they moved them out of the flood.

No more than I bother whether neighbor Joe next door wears a double-breasted or single-breasted suit . . . or whether he likes coffee, sassafras tea, or a temperate glass of beer.

Iowa neighborliness, tolerance, friendliness is truly more than skin deep. It is based on mutual respect, on belief in the other man's rights and way of life equally with our own.

Yes, when neighborliness and tolerance step in, selfishness and intolerance step out.

*Joe Marsh*

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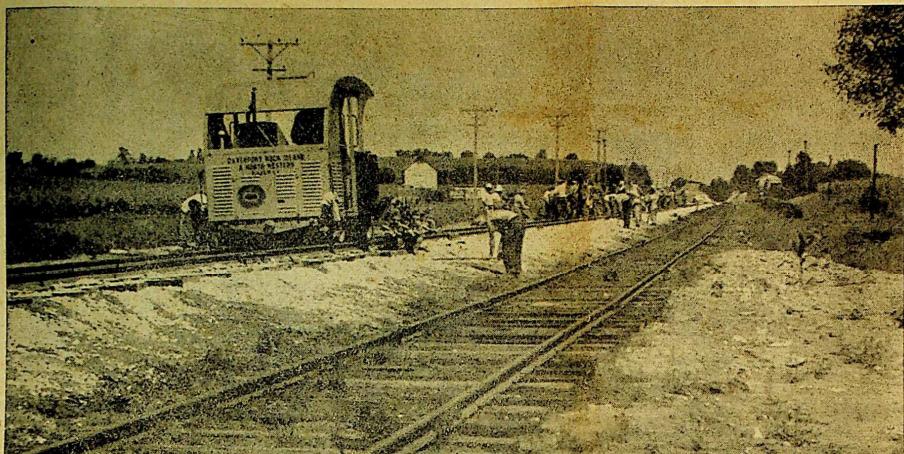
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## Railroad Starts Resurfacing Project



Maintenance crews of the Davenport, Rock Island and North Western Railway are shown resurfacing the line's main track just north of the depot in Princeton. The 50-man gang will work five miles of track in six weeks, weather permitting.

### PRESBYTERIAN CONGREGATION STARTED BUILDING MANSE

PRINCETON — Members of the Princeton Presbyterian Congregation are at work on the project of erecting a new manse for a resident pastor. That has been the aim of the group for many years.

Last Friday, Lawrence Carter, donated his time and machinery to excavate the basement. This week, weather permitting, the basement blocks will be laid and construction will get under-way.

Mrs. Ray Holst, Mr. Eugene Dannatt and Mr. Russell Enyeart were appointed as building committee. The construction contract was awarded to Andy Thompson, after the bids were considered.

In addition to the manse, remodeling work is to be done in the Church basement. This will include a new heating system, new plumbing and additional space for Sunday school classes.

### Fletcher Family

#### Holds Reunion

Seventy five members of the Fletcher family attended a reunion Saturday, at Duck Creek park. Cecil Fletcher and Wendell Wilson were in charge of the affair.

Lizzie Wilson of Princeton was the oldest member present and Vicki Faye Spinsby of West Point, Ky., the youngest.

John L. Fletcher was elected president and James Lively secretary - treasurer, for next year's reunion, which will be held the last Saturday in August at Duck Creek park.

John A. Fletcher, who has been with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fletcher in Little Rock, Ark., last year were Clinton City Champions. They began the season Tuesday. Mrs. Pat Billups, a member of the team, is president of the league. She will live for a while.

### P. T. A. Has County Meeting

PRINCETON — The Parent Teachers Association of the Princeton School was hostess to the Scott County Council of P. T. A., on August 31.

The meeting was held in the Community Hall. Fifty eight participants were registered.

Regular meetings of the Princeton P. T. A. are held on the third Tuesday of each month. Everyone is welcome.

The annual membership campaign is now under-way. If you haven't already become a member, Mrs. Al Drechsler will be happy to assist you.

### POLO PATIENTS ARE HOME

Princeton's two polo victims are home and much improved. Steven Billups, age 4, takes a hot bath twice a day and goes to St. Luke's hospital for special therapy. Although he is not allowed to walk yet, no sign of paralysis is present. Sharon Reid, age 9, has returned to her home from Moline Public Hospital. She takes the hot bath and also therapy. Unable to return to school at the present time, she has a private teacher in her home.

Sharon is the granddaughter of Mrs. Lloyd Roesger and Willard Fickel of Princeton.

### Merchant's Sponsored Bowling Team Starts Season

The bowling team sponsored by Princeton Merchants had a flying start Monday night as they took three games in the opener. Members of the team are; Pat Billups, Harold Siem, Dave McLaughlin, Wesley Schmale and Cecil Striecher.

Their wives have team sponsored by Elmwood Dairies and last year were Clinton City Champions. They began the season Tuesday. Mrs. Pat Billups, a member of the team, is president of the league.

### LeClaire Woman's Club Announces Program

LE CLAIRE — The program for the coming year of the LeClaire Woman's Club has been announced by Mrs. Frank Clark, program chairman, as follows:

October 5 - Mrs. Lettie Zuber Home Demonstration Agent.

November 2 - Program on crafts and hobbies.

December 7 - Musical program presented by the Woman's Club chorus. Also a gift exchange.

January 4 - Men's Nite Pot-luck supper. A talk by Mayor Walt Beuse. Music by the club chorus.

February 1 - Lecture on "India" by Mrs. Mary Baer.

March 1 - Book report by Mrs. Herbert Lage. Music of Language by the Chorus dressed in old-fashioned costumes.

April 5 - Travelog by Mrs. Edwin Busching of Stanwood.

May 3 - May breakfast with style show to be presented by Mary Louise Marshall of WOC.

The meetings are held at 2:00 p.m., in the LeClaire Presbyterian Church annex. Anyone interested cordially invited to attend.

### ARGO Church Plans Institute

ARGO — The United Presbyterian young people of this area plan a series of Monday night gatherings for inspiration, study and fellowship. The first meeting will be in the Argo Church, Monday, Sept. 13, at 7:30 p.m. (DST).

There will be an inspirational sing, a study period and a social hour with refreshments.

Young people will be present from Davenport, Moline, Rock Island and other nearby Churches. Rev. Kenneth Carey, Pastor of the McClellan Heights Church in Davenport will be in charge.

Other meetings will be held in various United Presbyterian Churches. The Institute will conclude with a banquet in the Gloria Dei Church in Rock Island on October 18th.

### Princeton Booster's Elects Officers

PRINCETON — The Princeton Booster's Club met Tuesday evening for its regular monthly meeting.

Highlight of the business session was the election of officers for the coming year.

John Litscher will succeed Hilding Lund as president. Tom Rubberg was elected vice-president. Vern Glewe will serve as secretary and treasurer.

### Lieutenant Kleeburg

#### On Furlough

Twenty two friends and relatives of "Hank" Kleeburg gathered Sunday at a brunch and barbecue dinner, held on the river-front of the Harry Kleeburg home in Princeton. Hank enlisted in the Air Force in April of 1953. He completed his cadet training and received his commission in June, as Second Lieutenant at Lowry Air Force Base in Denver, Colorado.

His first service school was at Lackland Air Base in Texas.

Later he was stationed at Harlingen, Texas, and was graduated from Harlingen Air Base with the distinction of being the second cadet to be graduated from that school, ever to have placed first academically and militarily in a class.

Having the privilege of choosing his next school, Hank selected the Armament branch of the Air Corp at Lowry Field. Hank chose his mother to have the honor of pinning his "Wings" at graduating exercises on August 26.

Lt. Kleeburg is on leave until October 4, at which time he will report to Camp Kilmer, N. J. for over-seas duty. He expects to be gone for three years.

Out of town guests were, Mrs. Fred Haggart, St. Paul, Nebraska and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jenkins and son Mike of Decatur, Illinois.

### DRI&NW Improves Track

PRINCETON — Maintenance crews of the Davenport, Rock Island and North Western Railway from Camanche Bettendorf and Davenport have started resurfacing the line's main track through Princeton.

Starting at the south end of town, the work program calls for nearly five miles of track to be resurfaced, ending south of the Wapsi River.

The 50-man gang is made up of the railroad's regular maintenance employees.

Prior to the actual track work the railroad has had a private contractor cleaning drainage ditches and widening the roadbed shoulders. A huge amount of dirt and rock was removed from the Rock Cut, just north of town. A railroad official reports that there are no immediate plans to widen the Cut.

A work train, handling the ballast spreader, was operated for several days to remove the old ballast from the ends of the ties.

Resurfacing the roadbed involves removing ties, which are no longer suitable for continued service and replacing them with new hardwood, treated ties. The track is also raised and filled with new crushed rock ballast.

The procedure is not as easy as these brief words might indicate, even though a lot of the manual labor has been eliminated by special machines.

A power jack is used to lift the track intact. Designated ties are removed and replaced and several ties are hand tampered to hold the track in the raised position. Following the jack is a power tamper. This machine mechanically packs the new ballast under each tie to provide a solid bed. As the tamper moves forward men follow-up to spike the new ties and level the fresh rock.

It is estimated that the work will require about six weeks. A work train will be operated each day to dump and spread the new rock. When the job is nearly completed the track plow will be brought out again to finish smoothing the roadbed shoulders and ditches.

While the Dri Line does not operate trains of its own, except work trains and switch engines, the line is a busy single-track railroad. Trains of the Milwaukee Road and Burlington Route, joint owners of the DRI&NW, are handled over the line.

During an average day at least fifteen trains will be operated over the road. Four of the trains are passengers.

### Car Skids Into Ditch In Rain

PRINCETON — Charles Hamilton fortunately escaped serious injuries Tuesday while enroute to Bettendorf High School, for the first day of classes. His car slipped off the highway onto the slippery shoulder, in the rain storm. The car rolled over, but "Skip" was not injured.

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## WEEKLY NEWS

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The columns of THE WEEKLY NEWS are open to all individuals, groups and organizations. You can help us greatly by contributing news items. The names of area correspondents are printed elsewhere in this issue. We solicit your cooperation, which will enable us to publish an informative newspaper.

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## Milestones

On March 1st, 1946, there were 255 telephones in Princeton and LeClaire, combined.

A great many of the phones were on grounded lines. Many lines were in such poor condition that even a sprinkle of rain would put them out of order, until they dried off again. In bad storms there might have been over 100 telephones out of order.

Little by little, with a lot of work and much material, we have had ALL lines metallic (2-wire) for several years.

Our percentage of outages is very, very small, being almost entirely caused by lightning or wind. Needless to say, we are rather proud of our accomplishments in the past few years.

We now have over 510 telephones of which over 300 are modern dial instruments.

In the two exchanges our subscribers average close to 2000 local calls every 24 hours, or about 53,000 per month. It is also interesting to mention that we completed over 4,630 long-distance calls in the past thirty days. Of course our subscribers received a similar number of calls when other people called them by long-distance. We have no record of these calls.

Our customers have been very, very cooperative while we struggle to give more and better service to more and more people in need of it.

I will repeat here, an often used phrase, that if you can't hear well or be heard good, please report it. Tell us any detail which might give an indication of the source of your trouble. Please remember, we must know of the trouble before we can correct it.

In the interest of cooperation, Russell J. Enyear, owner of LeClaire and Princeton Telephone Exchanges, Telephone Number Princeton 21.

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## COFFEE TIME

by  
Leona Farley

Hello — Come on in —

Coffees on. Let's relax a few minutes and get to be friends.

— I hope to be visiting with you each week - I'll like that - Hope you will too —

You know most people have their own idea about success. I like the one I heard from an old timer: —

To be successful is to have the ability to rise one more time than you fall.

FARMER TO BOY: "Hey, what are you doing in my apple tree?"

BOY: "Getting my kite down."

FARMER: "But it has been up there a month, why didn't you get it down before?"

BOY: "Apples weren't ripe before."

FOR THE TEEN-AGERS: — Say, did you hear what the Be-Bop Man had inscribed on his tombstone: -

DON'T DIG ME MAN  
I'M REAL GONE

FOR MOM

I was wondering how many of you would agree with this bit of information an old colored woman told a new bride, about housework: -

"Housework's one thing there's no catchin' up with; you go to bed at night, everything is done - but while you're sleepin' sheets are wrinklin', dust is settlin', and stomachs are gettin' empty."

A new cub reporter was sent to write up a fashionable charity ball. Next day the editor was checking his copy and noted he had written: - Among the beautiful girls was Horatio Lucien Dingley.

The editor called the reporter to his desk and demanded, "What do you mean writing this? Old Dingley isn't a girl - he is one of our principal stockholders."

"I can't help that," replied the reporter, "that is where he was — and having fun," added the reporter, with a wink.

### Quotable Daffynitions —

A caterpillar is an upholstered worm - Rev. R. E. Otten.

Well, the Labor Day weekend is over and the children are back in school - The house seems kind of quiet, doesn't it? - And I must be running along for this week. I'll leave you with this — thought for the week: —

Wealth is the smallest thing on earth, the least gift that God bestowed on mankind.

— Luther

### COOK of the WEEK

#### GEORGIA HAESSLER

Neighbors are mighty nice to have — One can usually count on them for help and I needed just that in order to produce a cook for this, our first edition.

I happen to know from firsthand taste experience, as well as my two sons, John and Michael, that our neighbor would fit the bill. Also attesting to the fact that Mrs. Haessler is an excellent cook are her daughter, Susan, and husband, Harold.

Each week we are going to choose one of you ladies for special honor in the Cook of the Week column. The name will be selected from our subscription files. Who knows, we may pull your name from the file and make YOU — Cook of the Week.

The following are two of Georgia's favorite recipes: —

Fresh Orange Layer Cake  
2 1/4 C. sifted cake flour  
1 1/2 C. sugar  
2 t. baking powder  
1/4 t. soda  
1 t. salt  
1/2 C. veg. shortening  
1 C. liquid (1/4 C. unstrained orange juice and 3/4 C. milk or water.)  
2 eggs  
2 T. grated orange rind

Have all ingredients at room temperature. Pre-heat oven to 350 degrees F. Grease and dust with flour two round 8" cake pans.

Sift together cake flour, sugar, baking powder, soda and salt. Add shortening, grated rind and two thirds C. liquid. Mix two minutes with electric beater. Scrape sides and bottom of bowl frequently. Add remaining one third C. liquid, unbeaten eggs and continue beating 2 more minutes. Scrape bowl frequently. Pour into pans. Bake 30 mins.

Barbecue Hamburger  
(6 med. sized)  
1/2 lb. gr. beef  
1/2 t. salt  
dash pepper  
1/2 C. soft bread crumbs  
1/4 C. milk

Mix all ingredients well together. Form into patties and brown on both sides.

Combine:  
1 T. sugar  
2 T. Worcestershire sauce  
1 T. vinegar  
1/2 C. ketchup

Pour over browned patties, cover, cook slowly for 30 minutes in 350 degree oven.

### Household Hints

Lightly butter the wax paper before putting over the top of frosted cupcakes when wrapping for school lunches. This prevents the frosting from sticking to the paper.

Keep a small jar containing a thick paste of soda and vaseline in the medicine chest for quick relief from burns and bee stings.

If any of you have helpful household hints which you would like to pass along to other readers, I would appreciate your sending them to me, Leona Farley, Rte 1, LeClaire.

## Argo

By

Mrs. Laura Gast  
Route 1, LeClaire  
Telephone — Argo 211

Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hamilton returned from their trip. They motored to the Black Hills, then to Loveland, Colo., where they visited relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Bowley who have been spending the past ten days in Schenectady, New York, visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Lucas and two children, returned home Tuesday (31st) evening. They reported a fine trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Leamer and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bowley attended the State Fair in Des Moines last week.

The LeClaire Farm Bureau Women will hold their Annual Tea Wednesday, September 15th, at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Vera Domer in LeClaire. Leader is Mrs. Robert Fletcher.

Maria E. Harris of Chicago was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher over Labor Day week end.

The LeClaire 4-H Girls are having a picnic dinner on the Argo Store lawn September 11th. They will play ball in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Spinsby are the proud parents of a baby girl, Darlene Ann, born in the Davenport Osteopathic Hospital Wednesday, September 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Leamer left Monday morning for Lockney, Texas, to visit Mrs. Leamer's sister and family and other relatives. They plan to be away about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Auliff and Mr. and Mrs. Birchard Holden spent the week-end in Chicago.

A delegation from the Argo U. P. Church will attend Presbytery and Presbytery September 16th, at the U. P. Church in Morning Sun, Iowa.

The L. O. A. Class from the Argo Church held their monthly meeting Wednesday, in the home of Mrs. Edgar Holden. Mrs. John Moffit was leader.

Mr. Don Albers of Wellsburg, Iowa, was a week-end guest in the Harry McConnell home.

Mrs. Hannah Brum who has been nursing in the Fred McConnell home for the past three weeks returned to Davenport Tuesday. Mrs. McConnell is much improved from her recent illness.

## LeClaire

We regret that we were unable to secure a correspondent in LeClaire in time to publish news from that area in this issue.

Mrs. Elmer Hussett will be our LeClaire correspondent.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank the friends and relatives, who were so thoughtful of me in Moline Lutheran Hospital and since my return home. The flowers were beautiful and the cards and visits were much appreciated. I am much improved and hope to be out soon.

Mrs. Orvie Birney

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Princeton

By  
Mrs. Lloyd Sierk  
Rte 1, Princeton

Roger Havenhill, who has been in Virginia, helping train National Guards since June 1, returned here Saturday for eight days. He and Mrs. Havenhill will then return to Elizabethtown, Ky., where they will reside while he is stationed at Fort Knox, Ky. Mrs. Havenhill was Beverly Graham.

Members of the Norton family enjoyed a family reunion Sunday at the Harold Williams Camp, adjoining the Saddle Club near Port Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norton have returned after a week in Canada and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Charles Carter and Mrs. John R. Suiter will entertain Church Workers Wednesday, September 16, in the Church. Plans will be made for the Annual chicken supper October 13, in the Community Hall.

Pfc. and Mrs. Russell Spinsky and Vicky Faye of West Point, Kentucky, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Anna LaGrange, who resides with Mrs. Mae Brown, is staying with Mrs. Leona Woomert while Mrs. Brown is visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Auliff have purchased the former home of Marie Suiter and have moved-in. Their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Auliff, will live on the farm.

James Tague Sr. is improved after a long illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harnay of Davenport were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Oakes.

Barbara Porter entered nurses training Tuesday at St. Lukes. She will attend classes at Augustana.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Graham left Thursday morning for Virginia to visit her sister and places of interest in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Holst have received word from LaVerna Gilbert that he has become a P.F.C. He is stationed in Tokyo, Japan.

Will Rogers, local postmaster, is ill in his home.

Farm Bureau meetings will resume Wednesday, September 22, in the home of Mrs. Orville Stewart.

Mrs. Harold Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Anderson and Debbie of Maple Park, Ill., and Mrs. Anderson's father from New York were dinner guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson Jr.

Paul Anderson celebrated his first birthday at a family dinner Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sierk of Davenport spent the week end with relatives here.

Ladies of the Lutheran Church met Wednesday with Mrs. Arnold Holst. Mrs. John Winters assisted. The group will hold a ham supper Wednesday night, September 29, in the Church basement.

Pfc. and Mrs. Don Stevens are parents of a son born recently. They are stationed in Georgia. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Heilie have returned after several weeks there. The baby was named Donald Charles.

David Adams enrolls as a Sophomore at Iowa City this year.

A number of local residents attended the Wolfe - Fries wedding Saturday in Davenport.

Roxy Ernsberger will leave this week for Massachusetts, where he will enroll in college. Elva Baxter, who is employed at Lincoln, Nebraska, visited relatives here last week. She formerly resided here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Holst have returned from a trip to the Hawaiian Islands. They flew both ways and report a wonderful time in a beautiful

place. Souvenirs brought back included Hula skirts for their daughters, who are learning the "art" of Hula dancing.

Mrs. Raymond Hamilton, Mrs. Harold Anderson and Betty Lively spent a week with Pvt. James Hamilton at his camp in Alabama.

The annual Rebekah picnic was held August 29, at the August Erling home, on the bank of the Mississippi, with thirty people attending. Boat riding was enjoyed after the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kerr will attend a family reunion Sunday in Des Moines.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Little welcomed their fourth daughter Billy Patricia, last week.

Mrs. Eugene Oakes will entertain the Grassy Lane Club Wednesday, October 6. Echo Rebekah members will meet Thursday night, September 9, with Mrs. Anne Beuse, Noble Grand.

Past Noble Grands will meet later this month with Mrs. Claude Arney, instead of this week. Mrs. Arney has had poison ivy and Myra Ann, breaking a foot bone and cracking the ankle bone. She had a similar break last year.

PRINCETON

Miss Emma Stadtmueller of Monticello, Iowa, spent the week-end with her sister Mrs. H. W. Boll and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Swanson and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fletcher and son Mark of Peoria, Ill., were week-end visitors at the Ernest Pruett home.

Pvt. David L. Brunson of the Military Police has been enjoying a furlough at home. He will leave Friday for Camp Pendleton in California.

Gerald Ney of the Naval Service visited here over the Labor Day week-end before returning to Norman, Okla. Bud Shinn left for Casey, Iowa, Tuesday to visit his mother Mrs. D. W. Shinn, who is 89 years old.

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McCausland

By  
Miss. Anna McKinney  
McCausland Post Office

Mrs. Clifford Piggott entertained seventeen little friends at a party in her home Saturday afternoon, in honor of the eighth birthday of her daughter Linda. Games were played and refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pool and daughter Jeri, Mrs. Ella Stutzel and Mrs. Kenneth Stutzel drove to Chicago Thursday. They spent the day shopping and sightseeing, they also attended Cinerama.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Ploog, daughter Janet and son John Jr., are home after visiting a week in Canada and other places of interest.

Bill Walters, Hans Hansen and Albert Larson have returned from a visit with friends in Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Darland and Mr. and Mrs. George Rasche spent the week-end in St. Louis, where they attended the Cardinal - New York Giants baseball game.

Corporal Henry Peters, with the U. S. Army Infantry at Ft. Lewis, Wash., is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peters, for a three week leave.

Mrs. Henry Hinrichs son Bob visited the past week with Miss. Viola Hinrichs in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

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Argo

Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale

Pastor

Sunday Services:

Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.

Bible School 11:00 a.m.

Evening Services 8:00 p.m.

The Pioneer and Builder Youth

groups meet at the same hour.

Midweek Services:

Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

BAPTIST

LeClaire

Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Young Peoples Christian

Life 6:30 p.m.

Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday:

Choir practice 6:45 p.m.

Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

Friday:

Ladies Bible Study and Mis-

sionary Service 7:30 p.m.

You will find a welcome here.

CALVARY CHAPEL

LeClaire

Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC

LeClaire

Father Francis Duncan

Masses

Sunday 7:00 a.m.

Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

First meeting of the Altar

Rosary Society of St. Henry's

Parish will be held at 8:00 p.m.

on September 15.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

LeClaire

Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE

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SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

School Activities

CHURCHES

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN

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Princeton

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Worship Service 10:30 a.m.

Junior Leaguers 7:30 p.m.

Friday evening, Sept. 10th, we are going to have the privilege of hearing Mr. Murari Devasahayam, a representative to the World Council of Churches from India.

Mr. Devasahayam, a layman, has been attending the sessions of the World Council of Churches at Evanston. In order that we may get the best turnout for this occasion and that we might have an opportunity to become better acquainted with our guest, a special Family

Life has been called for this Friday. Bring your one dish, sandwiches, utensils and yourselves. The rest of the evening is furnished.

PRESBYTERIAN

Princeton

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

The Youth Fellowship group will meet Thursday evening, September 9th, in the home of Marlene and Darlene Rogers. All young people of high school age are welcome. Our new project is to make a quilt which will be used in our new manse.

At the last regular meeting of the Church Workers, it was decided to establish a Memorial Fund Committee. Mrs. John Suiter, Mrs. Paul Dennis and Mrs. Allen Elliott were appointed to this committee.

METHODIST

McCausland

Rev. Charles H. Stange, Minister

Church School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

The Official Board will meet Monday night, Sept. 13, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ehlers, Long Grove, at 8:00 p.m. (DST).

Sunday, September 12 is Retired Ministers Sunday in the Church. Rev. Stange will preach on the theme - "Working for Christ."

PRINCETON — There are 109 pupils enrolled in the Princeton school this year, which started August 30.

The teachers for this year, are as follows: —

Kindergarten Mrs. Mary Hood

First and Second Mrs. Verna Helble

Mrs. Evonda Enyeart

Third and Fourth Mrs. Johanna Fawcett

Mrs. Iola Wenzel

Seventh and Eighth Mrs. Mabel Clement

The children have been

enjoying a new Merri-Go-Round at school.

PRINCETON TOWNSHIP —

There are five rural schools in the township, which opened August 30. The teachers are: —

GRASSY LANE - Elva Kraft

MAPLE GLENN - Mary Mess

LOST GROVE - Mildred Holst

SAND HILL - Phyllis Fletcher

PLEASANT HILL - Mildred Benson

Officers were elected for the club. President is Connie Klemme, the vice-president is Bobbi Paine. Carl Brunson is treasurer and the secretary is Joyce McAllister. The next meeting will be held Sept. 17.

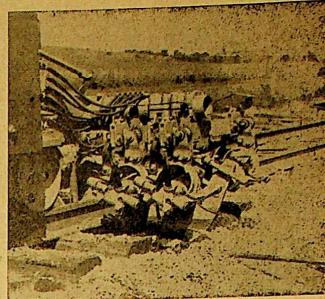
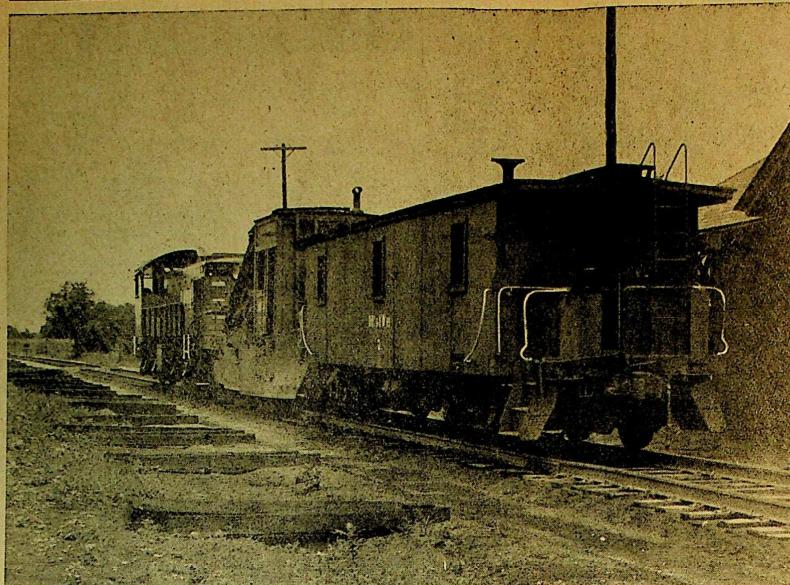
Like last year the Seventh and Eighth Grades will sell pop-corn to the lower grades.

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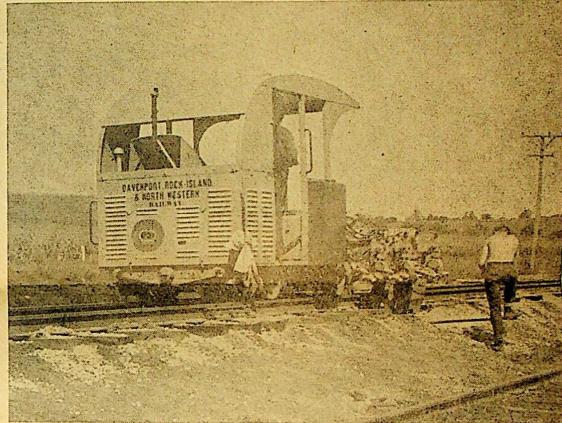


Above - This close-up of the business end of the DRI&NW's power tamper shows one side of identical mechanism which packs each tie. Twelve vibrating blades do the job.

Left - The Dri Line's work train stands in front of the Princeton depot after plowing old ballast away from the ends of the track ties. The machine between the caboose and diesel engine has many uses in railroad work.



This power jack lifts a segment of railroad intact as men shovel-tamp two or three ties to hold the track at new level for the mechanical tamper.



In less than one minute this power tamper will pack rock under a railroad tie.

## TRADING POST

RATES - Two cents per word, minimum fifty cents.

For Sale - grey storm coat with matching hat, like new, very reasonably priced. Telephone Princeton 4022.

For Sale - live or dressed rabbits, also live geese and ducks, LaVerne Mess, Princeton.

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LE CLAIRE — The American Legion Auxiliary will present "Funnybone Follies" at the LeClaire High School gym September 23 and 24 at 8 p.m.

The show is made up of all local talent. Tickets are now on sale.

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VOLUME I

## Pipe Line Across River Nears Finish

### PUMP INSTALLED ON FIRE DEPARTMENT TANKER

PRINCETON — A new high-pressure, two-stage pump has been installed on the Princeton Fire Department tanker.

Previously the tanker served only as a water-supply and it was necessary to use the pump of another fire truck. Now the tanker will be an independently operating piece of fire equipment, having both a supply of water and means of pumping.

The new pump will deliver 300 gallons per minute at a "Class A" rated pressure of 150 pounds. Being a two-stage unit, the pump can develop pressures up to 1000 pounds.

### Pheasant Hunting Dates Set

The Iowa State Conservation Commission has announced open days for hunting pheasants, in this area.

In Scott and Clinton counties open days will be November 11, 1954, to December 5, 1954, both dates inclusive.

Shooting hours will be from 12:00 noon to 4:30 p.m., each open day.

Bag limit is three cock birds per day, with a possession limit of three cock birds.

### LeClaire Woman's Club Announces Officers And Committees

LE CLAIRE — The first meeting of the LeClaire Woman's Club will be held at 2:00 p.m., Monday, October 4th, instead of Tuesday, October 5, as originally scheduled.

The club will meet in the Presbyterian Church annex, with Miss Lettie Zuber as guest speaker. Mrs. C. E. Simonton, president, will preside at the meeting.

Officers of the club for the current year are: Mrs. C. E. Simonton, president; Mrs. Everett Sidlinger, vice-president; Mrs. J. W. Shugars, recording secretary; Mrs. Wm. Domer, corresponding secretary and Mrs. George Maag, treasurer.

Committee's for the year have been announced, as follows: Mesdames Frank Clark, George Underwood and Darlene Dittmer, program; Mesdames George Maag, Frank Dreschler, J. W. Shugars, membership; Mrs. John Farley, publicity; Mrs. Harvey Phillips, social chairman; Mrs. Clarence Norton, sunshine; Mrs. Harry Kleeburg, blind relief; Mrs. Ed Schultz, music; Mrs. Elmer Hussett and Mrs. DeWitt Bragonier, finance; and Mrs. Herbert Lage, literary.

Chorus practise is held each Thursday morning from ten to eleven in the Church annex. Those interested in singing with the chorus are asked to attend the practice sessions.

### PLANS ANNUAL DANCE

As part of their regular business meeting Tuesday evening, Princeton Firemen made plans for the Annual Benefit Dance to be held in November.

### Mr. and Mrs. Schmalz Celebrates Anniversary

PRINCETON — Fifty-five Grassy Lane neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Schmalz helped them celebrate their 15th anniversary Wednesday evening, in their home. Prize-winners were Nick Siem, Mrs. Ella Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sierk, Harold Siem, Mrs. Dave McLaughlin, Mrs. Tony Partz and Mrs. Ernest Siem.

A gift of money, from the group was presented by Dave McLaughlin.

Mr. Schmalz is director of Grassy Lane School and is active in various civic organizations. The couple has three children; Eleanor Jo, Jon and W. C.

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Plans were made for initiation to be held Thursday night, October 28. Princeton and Davenport candidates will be taken in.

Friday night, October 22, was selected for a public dance in the Community Hall.

On November 5th and 6th a comedy will be presented with local talent in charge. It is entitled "Funnybones Follies" and promises to be one of the most hilarious entertainments to be given in Princeton. More information will be available at a later date.

### Claussen Family Holds Reunion

The Claussen family held a reunion Sunday at Fejervary Park in Davenport. Forty were present for the picnic dinner served at noon. The occasion was also the 83rd birthday of Mrs. Mary Claussen of Davenport.

**SQUIRREL SEASON OPENS**  
Squirrel hunting season opened today and will continue for thirty days.

A word of caution — we like to print news, but not of you as a hunting accident victim.

### JAMES TAGUE OF PRINCETON DIES

A Princeton resident, James T. Tague, age 74, retired farmer, passed away at his home at 3:30 p.m. Saturday.

Services and burial were held Tuesday at 2 p.m. from the Christian Church in Panora, Iowa.

Mr. Tague had lived in Princeton the past two years. He was born March 30, 1880, at Harlan, Iowa, and on April 7, 1901 married Ola May Culver at Harlan.

In addition to his wife, Mr. Tague is survived by four sons, Clyde, Eldridge, Everett, Guthrie Center; Rex, Davenport and Lloyd, Princeton, two daughters, Mrs. John Graham, Princeton and Mrs. Harold Wilson, Phoenix, Ariz. Two brothers, Fred, Phoenix and Harlow, Los Angeles; a sister, Mrs. Lloyd Lawson Kittis, Washington. Two sons and a daughter preceded him in death.

### Relative Of Local People Buried

Mrs. Vern Tobey, age 72, of Clinton died Friday. Mrs. Tobey was a sister-in-law of Clair Tobey, Mrs. Andy Wright, Mrs. Anna Brown and Mrs. Bertha Suiter, in this area.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Monday in Clinton.

Mrs. Tobey had been a patient in Jane Lamb Hospital for a week before her death and was in failing health for several years.

Her husband survives. She was preceded in death by her parents and a sister.

### Council Drops Fast Time

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### HOLST - MC MAHON VOWS ON FRIDAY

PRINCETON — The marriage of Miss Beverly Holst and Richard McMahon will take place Friday evening, September 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the Princeton Presbyterian Church.

### Firemen Attend School

PRINCETON — Six members of the Princeton Fire Department attended a one-day schooling, sponsored by the Southern Wisconsin and Northern Illinois Fire Fighters Association, at the Savanna Ordnance Depot Sunday, September 12th.

The session lasted from 8:30 in the morning until after 10 p.m. Those attending were Chief Herb Pietscher, Wayne Youngers, Ben Shaw, Jr., Frank Erling, Al Evans and Tom Ruhberg.

Thursday evening September 16, firemen in this area will attend a meeting of the Scott County Fire Fighter's Association at McCausland.

### Great Lakes Company Now Has Two Lines

PRINCETON — Pentzien, Inc. of Omaha, Nebraska, contractor for Great Lakes Pipe Line Company, has nearly completed laying some 4,000 feet of pipe across the Mississippi River.

The project started in early August, after the overland line was completed between Princeton and Iowa City. Connecting with the land line, which passes near the north limits of town, the river conductor extends to Cordova where it junctions with Great Lakes' line into Illinois.

The initial phase of the work involved hydraulic dredging, whereby silt and mud was pumped from the river bed, to a prescribed depth, to form a trench for the submerged pipe.

To form the continuous line across the river, the lengths of pipe were welded and the stove-pipe method of laying was used. First, the pipe was welded, end to end, in pairs. The segments were loaded on floats and as the actual laying progressed the lengths were welded to the main line, on a specially rigged work-barge. As each paired length was added the barge moved toward mid-stream and the opposite river bank.

As the barge moved across the river the welded pipe was lowered on a special ramp into the previously dredged trench.

River traffic was not affected by the work, except for a narrower passage channel and one-way traffic, so to say.

On Saturday the tie-in with the land line on the Illinois side was completed. Operations were then shifted to the Iowa side, at Princeton, and the tie-in was finished on Monday.

All that remains to be done is the covering of the pipe. This is done with the same dredging equipment, but now material is being pumped into the trench.

### MC CAUSLAND BUSINESS MAN IS ILL

MC CAUSLAND — Bill Walters, McCausland business man, entered the DeWitt Community Hospital, last Saturday, for observation and treatment.

Mr. Walters visited his doctor on Friday afternoon and it was decided that further clinical tests were necessary.

### Princeton Postmaster

#### Home From Hospital

PRINCETON — Will Rogers, Princeton postmaster, entered Davenport Osteopathic Hospital last Friday.

For the past two weeks, Mr. Rogers has been ill in his home, but was able to be at office for short periods of time.

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## THINK IT OVER

(Editorial)

By J. C. M.

### Eighteen killed in two days

Iowa marked up its worst auto death toll for a two-day period, during the past weekend. This is not a record about which to boast.

Surely there are reasons why this high toll in auto-deaths continue to mount, week after week. I'll leave the research to traffic specialist, but in the meantime, while waiting for the long-sought answer, there is something we can all do for the sake of Safety.

Highway 67 is now carrying additional traffic. Many of the detoured vehicles are driven by strangers in this area. Locally, we are familiar with the bad curves and rough spots between the Big Hill and Riverdale. However, many now using the road are not aware of the dangers in this particular stretch of road. I do not intend to imply that only strangers might cause an accident, but it stands to reason it may be too late before they learn that it is a dangerous piece of road. So — Drive Carefully!

### Juggling the clock —

The City Council of McCausland has returned the clock to normal — Central Standard Time. Eldridge took similar action, along with numerous other small towns, prior to the start of the school year.

Personally, my routine would be very much the same regardless of "fast" or "slow" time, but I do think it unwise for a small geographical area to adopt Daylight Savings Time and the resulting confusion.

Next Spring, the question will arise again. This area has no choice but to follow the lead of the Cities. Unless by then, there is an official decision by the voters. If the question were to be put on the ballot, I doubt if we would have fast-time.

Right now, I would be more interested in someone adding a couple extra hours to each day, either daylight or darkness.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This calendar is published as a public service, to serve as a reminder of coming events and to assist interested people in selecting future dates. Every effort will be made to present an accurate calendar. Check each week for changes and additions.

**September 17, Friday —**  
LeClaire Farm Bureau, community meeting and wiener roast at Stone School . . . .

**September 21, Tuesday —**  
Parent Teachers Association, regular evening meeting at Princeton School . . . .

**September 23 - 24. Thursday and Friday —**  
American Legion Auxiliary, comedy presentation at LeClaire High School Gym . . . .

**September 29 Wednesday —**  
Princeton Lutheran Church, Ham Supper in church basement . . . .

**October 13, Wednesday —**  
Princeton Presbyterian Church, Annual Chicken Dinner at Princeton Community Hall . . . .

**October 22, Friday —**  
Echo Rebekah Lodge, public dance at Princeton Community Hall . . . .

**November 5 - 6, Friday and Saturday —**  
Echo Rebekah Lodge, comedy "Funnybone Follies," at Princeton Community Hall . . . .

**November (undecided) —**  
Princeton Fire Department, Annual Benefit Dance at Princeton Community Hall . . . .

## COFFEE TIME

by  
Leona Farley

Hello! Come in — glad you could make it again — Your cup of coffee is waiting as I've been looking forward to our visit since meeting you last week.

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Let's take a look at fashions: All of us, I believe are interested in clothes and fashion trends — not only for ourselves but for the man in our life. So, before we look at what's new for milady, I'd like to ask what you think of this new trend for men — wearing shorts for street and sports-wear?

This question is prompted by last week's Truth or Consequence TV show. For those who missed it, the show sent one of its contestants, as a super salesman, out to Muscatine to sell 100 pairs of Bermuda shorts for men.

Would you buy a pair for your husband? Perhaps a better question might be — would your husband wear them if you did buy a pair?

Query the men in your family, ladies, and let's hear from you as to their reactions. I'd also like to know your opinion on the subject. I'll tabulate your answers, pro and con, and let you know the results as soon as possible.

Now let's take a look at what the new fall fashions have in store for you —

There is a Frenchman by the name of Dior who is trying to bring back a style reminiscent of the late '20s — the "H" look he calls it. This really means you look like a sack of potatoes with a sash tied slightly below the waistline.

Tweeds and Scottish plaids are the big news in fabric for coats, suits and dresses.

Jumpers and weskits seem to be playing an important role in the wardrobe, too. They can be found in corduroy, wool and orion, foilie, rayon flannel and black velvet for glamor evenings. Also, on the glamor side, full billowy skirts and can-can petticoats are popular.

Fur is always popular and is becoming much more versatile.

For instance, there is one fox fur piece that is pretty as an off-the-shoulder sling or wrap. It can also be curled for a muff and can be fitted under the arms, snapped and worn for a bolero for evening wear. Say, I thought of another, how about fitting it around one's head for a turban?

With the children in school learning their three r's, mothers are still at home faced with their three D's: diet, diapers and don't's.

I was just thinking that by the time a mother can afford all the equipment she needs to "save her steps," they are all grown and there is no reason for saving them.

"I had a bad dream last nite," said wife to hubby. "What was it?" asked hubby. "I dreamed that you and Clark Gable were fighting over me and you won," replied wife.

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THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

Adopt the pace of nature; her secret is patience. — Emerson

## TIME

by  
Leona Farley

### COOK of the WEEK

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WILMA HOLST

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"Too many cooks spoil the broth" — no, ma'm — not in this family. Besides Wilma, who acts as Chief Chef, there are her helpers — Kathryn, a sophomore in LeClaire high school; Virginia, a sixth grader at Cody school — and two "dish-lickers," Brenda, 5 years old and Dinah, 3 years old. The man who benefits from all this good cookin' is, of course, hubby and daddy respectively, to these gals — Arnold Holst.

By the way, if any of you are interested in first-hand account of a trip to Hawaii, just drop in to see Arnold and Wilma. They recently returned from a two-weeks tour of the Islands.

Each week we are going to choose one of you ladies for special honor in the Cook of the Week column. The name will be selected from our subscription files. Who knows, we may pull your name from the file and make YOU — Cook of the Week.

Following are two of their favorite recipes: —

### Baked Applesauce

### Crumb Cake

1/2 t. soda  
1/2 C. shortening  
1 C. brown sugar  
1 1/2 C. flour  
1 1/2 C. uncooked oatmeal  
4 or 5 C. sweetened applesauce  
Add 3 to 4 T. corn starch to applesauce and cook until thick.

Combine dry ingredients and shortening into a crumb mixture. Place a layer of crumbs in an oblong pan, then spread over this the thickened applesauce. Bake in moderate oven about 45 minutes. Cool, slice and serve with whipped cream.

Apricots, prunes or raisins may be used in place of the applesauce.

### Teen-Age Treat - Maid Rites (Kathryn's specialty)

Put about 3 lbs. ground beef in a large skillet. Fry until done, stirring occasionally so it doesn't stick. Then add one small onion (diced), 1 can tomato soup, 1/2 C. catsup and salt and pepper to taste. Let this simmer until onion is done and ingredients are thoroughly blended. Serve on warm buns.

Very good for hungry teenagers. Serve with your favorite drink.

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### Helpful Hints: —

There seems to be no end for the use of lemon juice. It is used for about everything from fish to hair rinse — and here are even a few more uses: To soften frosting that has cooked too long, add a few drops of lemon juice. Also, a few drops added to cream will make it whip more stiffly. When lemon juice is added to dish water, it not only cuts grease, but makes your glasses and china glisten.

Don't forget, ladies, drop me a card with your favorite hints — Would also appreciate any other suggestions you may have for our Coffee Time. The address is Leona Farley, Rte 1, LeClaire.

## Princeton

By  
Mrs. Lloyd Sierk  
Rte 1, Princeton

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ehlers and children of Oakland, Ill., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Nielsen. Mrs. Ehlers and children will stay two weeks. Mr. Nielsen recently returned from a months visit with relatives in Denmark. He had not been there for 40 years.

The Harold Anderson's and Jim Billup's enjoyed an outdoors fireplace picnic supper Labor Day at the Bob Carter's.

Charley Carter topped the cattle market this week with three loads of 1300 pound steers receiving \$28. Two loads of 1400 pound steers were shipped last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Stichter have returned from a western tour which included California.

Linda Lively was honored on her first birthday and Don Sierk on his eighth at a family party Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lively. Each had a birthday cake. Mrs. Orvie Birney, who was hospitalized recently was able to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wilson and two sons have moved from Nebraska to the Ira Schwab's former home, south of Lund's. Mr. and Mrs. Schwab recently purchased and moved into the Fletcher home in the south part of town.

Mrs. Frank Peitscher is chairman of the Lutheran Church's ham supper to be served September 29th.

Mrs. Allen Elliott is chairman for the Presbyterian Church's chicken supper scheduled for October 13th.

Mrs. Herman Grell is still in DeWitt Community Hospital and in a poor condition. Cards and visitors are very welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carter are parents of a son born Thursday in St. Lukes Hospital.

Twenty five women of the Lutheran Church attended a meeting Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Arnold Holst, with Mrs. John Winters assisting. The Rev. Richard Otten explained the value of knowing the meaning of church hymns, whether they are adoration, thanksgiving, dedication or confession.

Mrs. Frank Peitscher will be the October hostess with Mrs. Merritt Kitchen assisting.

## STRANGE BUT TRUE

The other evening I stopped in to see a friend who had just gotten one of the new three-speed record players. "Wonderful machine," he said. "It plays at 33 RPM, 45, and 78. Only thing it won't do," he laughed, "is play two records at the same time!" Seriously, though, we had some mighty fine music that evening — one piece at a time, of course.

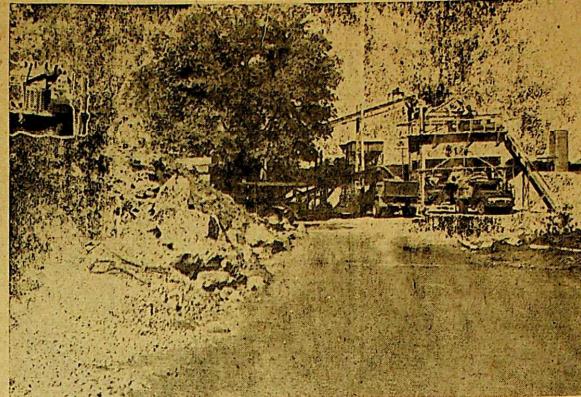
You know, party-line telephone service, too, makes good use of this one-at-a-time principle. Although it's perfectly true that only one party at a time can use the line, there's plenty of time for each user to do all the telephoning that could be desired, when the line is shared considerably.

It's just a matter of cooperating courteously with your party-line neighbors. . . . freeing the line reasonably soon when someone is waiting to use it, and hang up gently when you find the line in use.

LeClaire and Princeton Telephone Exchanges



Nearly hidden behind the rock broken loose in Saturday's blast is a mechanical scoop loading dump truck which feeds the crusher.



Weaver's crusher and rock grading apparatus is shown as trucks load at conveyors and stock pile. The ramp on the left leads to the crusher feeder.

### Princeton

By

**Mrs. Lloyd Sierk**  
Phone Princeton 2721  
Rte 1, Princeton

Mrs. Claude Arney was hostess to 20 Past Noble Grands in her home in Clinton. Mrs. Russell Auliff presided for routine business. A dance was announced for Friday night, October 22 in Community Hall. Winners were Mildred Holst, Alverta Graaff, Rhoda Helble, Violet Suiter and Bessie Sierk. Mrs. Auliff will be hostess Friday night, October 8.

Mrs. Mary Dannatt of Davenport spent the week with members of her family.

Honda Shroder was seriously ill the past week.

Mrs. Orlo Hamilton was re-elected state president of the Gideons Auxiliary at the annual convention held in Marshalltown which she and Mr.

Hamilton attended. Also present from here were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Enyeart and Mrs. Enyeart was elected vice president.

Lloyd Steele's mother, who is 90 years old and resides in Fort Dodge, is spending sometime here with her son and daughter.

Paul Anderson, year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson received a severe gash just above the eyebrow when he was thrown against the ignition key as his mother stopped the car suddenly. Several stitches were required to close the wound.

Doris Ann Kincaid, 5, of Detroit has been seriously ill with arthritis. She is home from the hospital and able to walk from room to room. Doris is the granddaughter of Mrs. Amelia Hirz.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beuse and several out of town friends left Sunday morning by boat and went as far as Wabasha,

Wis., returning Wednesday evening. They tried to enter Lake Pippin, but the water was too rough.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porter have received word that Flash is recovering satisfactorily after a tonsillectomy performed recently. Although a number of stitches were required due to the large size of the tonsils and he hemorrhaged profusely, he is much improved. Flash — by the way is the Great Dane owned by their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Frevert in Denver.

My! My! What next?

Jerry Klemme, "Butch" Graham and Jim Fawcett went on the trail ride out of DeWitt Sunday. Over 100 riders participated. Jim had the misfortune a few days before of receiving a painful sprain when the pony he was riding slipped and fell pinning Jim's leg under the animal. X-ray determined no broken bones.

Mr. and Mrs. John Witwer of Cedar Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Andy Keyline visited Sunday in the C. B. Oakes home. Mrs. Witwer and Mrs. Oakes are sisters.

Viney Stiecher, who is with the Elmwood Dairy bowling team, bowled 198 last Tuesday to take the high game in the series.

Florence McKnight has re-

turned after spending several

days with her sister, Mrs. Tom Fletcher.

Bob Porter sang in the chorus of the International Barbershop musical Sunday afternoon at Rock Island High School and Saturday night at the Friendly House. Featured on the program were the Vikings and The Schmidt Brothers, who are widely known in Barbershop circles.

4-H boys will meet Monday night, October 4, in the home of Richard Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Shepherd of Shreveburg, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooper of Carlisle, Ohio, were visitors last week in the Roy Wood home. Roy and Mr. Shepherd were buddies in World War I and Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. Wood are cousins.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet Wednesday night, October 6, and representatives from the Princeton Rebekah lodge are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Schleuter of Davenport, former Princeton residents, visited this week with Mr. and Mrs. George Pinneo. The Schleuter's will leave early next month for Florida, where they have purchased a home and spend the winters.

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ed home Sunday night after

Grosz and Hillbilly Kate.

several days with her children in this area. On Friday she and Mrs. Frank Peitscher were guests at a dinner in the home of Mrs. Merrill Campbell in Clinton. Sunday evening the Peitschers and Porters were guests of Mrs. Dannatt at The Plantation.

Mrs. Amanda Sierk returned home Tuesday after a month in the country.

**PRINCETON**—A large crowd of hootin', yellin', stamping wrestling fans jammed into Princeton's Community Hall last Saturday night, for the first wrestling show of the fall and winter season.

Al Grosz, local grappler, met Jackie Reed of Omaha. Grosz won the one fall, 45 minute time limit event.

Hillbilly Kate, tangled with Kathy Star, Hillbilly Kate proved that physical handicap (she has only one arm) is no barrier even in wrestling, as she subdued the unlucky Star in a two out of three falls, 60 minute, go-around. The winner took the first fall—lost the second and clinched it by taking the third and deciding fall.

In an unusual pairing Al Grosz teamed with Hillbilly Kate against Jackie Reed and Kathy Star in a tag team match. This event also two out of three falls, was neatly tucked away by the team of Grosz and Hillbilly Kate.

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## THINK IT OVER

(Editorial)

By J. C. M.

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## THE WEEKLY NEWS

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This calendar is published as a public service, to serve as a reminder of coming events and to assist interested people in selecting future dates. Every effort will be made to present an accurate calendar. Check each week for changes and additions.

October 2, Saturday —  
McCausland Parent - Teachers, bake sale, Hansen Pool Variety Store. . . . .

October 9, Saturday —  
McCausland Parent - Teachers, benefit card party evening, school basement. . . . .

October 9, Saturday —  
Altar and Rosary Society of St. Henry's in LeClaire, combined bake sale and rummage sale. . . . .

October 13, Wednesday —  
Princeton Presbyterian Church, Annual Chicken Dinner at Princeton Community Hall. . . . .

October 22, Friday —  
Echo Rebekah Lodge, public dance at Princeton Community Hall. . . . .

October 27, Wednesday —  
St. Henry's Parish, LeClaire, public card party, 500 and Bunco, 8 p.m. at the church hall. . . . .

November 5 - 6, Friday and Saturday —  
Echo Rebekah Lodge, comedy "Funnybone Follies," at Princeton Community Hall. . . . .

November (undecided) —  
Princeton Fire Department, Annual Benefit Dance at Princeton Community Hall. . . . .

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## COFFEE TIME

by  
Leona Farley

### COOK of the WEEK

MARJORIE HEUBLE

You and I have another treat in store this week as our recipes are two favorites of Marjorie (Mrs. Raymond) Heuble.

Marjorie and Raymond live on a beautiful farm between Princeton and McCausland and 'Traveling' is their favorite hobby.

Their family (grown and married) consists of two daughters: Betty Jean, who married the Rev. L. C. Urlaub of Garnavillo, Iowa; and Dorothy Mae, now Mrs. Donald Stevens of Columbus, Georgia. Donald is stationed at Fort Benning. The Stevens plan on returning to Iowa about the middle of December.

There are five grandchildren, Charlene Joy, Norma Lee, Marcia Jean and Mark Christian Urlaub; and Donald Charles Stevens II.

Now that you have met them let's proceed with the recipes.

Marjorie calls her first recipe "Gooey Peach Pie" with a 1-2-3 pie crust which she learned to make when a mere child, from her mother.

### GOOEY PEACH PIE

1 C. flour  
2 heaping T. lard  
3 T. cold water  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  t. baking powder  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  t. salt

Cut cold lard into sifted dry ingredients and add cold water gradually. When blended enough to handle sprinkle a little flour on pastry board and roll two-thirds of dough thin for the bottom of pie leaving the other third for the top crust either strip or plain. This is for an 8 inch tin.

### Peach Filling

Peel and cut up about 3 cups peaches

add,  
1 C. sugar  
2 T. flour  
2 T. heavy cream  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  t. salt  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  t. nutmeg

Mix this all together in a bowl and add to unbaked pie crust, then put another rolled crust or strips on top and bake at 375 degrees about 45 minutes.

### FILLED SUGAR COOKIES

Mix together,  
2 C. sugar  
1 C. butter  
1 C. sour cream  
2 eggs

1 t. vanilla  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  t. lemon

Sift together,

2 C. flour (more if needed)

1 t. baking powder

$\frac{1}{2}$  t. salt

1 t. soda

Add to the above mixture,

then add more flour to be able to handle the dough on a pastry board. Divide dough, roll out one portion then cut with cookie cutter placing on a baking sheet. Prepare a filling of the following:

2 C. raisins, dates or figs  
 $\frac{3}{4}$  C. sugar

1 t. vinegar or lemon juice

2 T. cornstarch

$\frac{1}{4}$  t. salt

1 C. water

Put washed raisins, vinegar

and water to cook about 5 minutes, then add sugar, cornstarch

and salt mixed together. Cook

a few minutes longer to thicken, with a teaspoon, spread

filling on each cookie. Roll

remaining dough; cut and

place another cookie on top of

filling. Press edges together.

Bake in moderate oven about

ten minutes or until browned.

## LeClaire

By  
Mrs. Elmer Hussett  
Phone LeClaire 2201  
LeClaire

Twelve young people of the Presbyterian Church held a wiener roast in Bragioner's woods Sunday evening.

Mrs. Russell Dooley returned home Sunday after taking care of her Grandma Shim in Casey, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Herman and family spent the weekend in Chicago.

Miss Clara Fecker, nurse at Mercy hospital is spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Puck, Miss Fecker is an aunt of Mrs. Puck.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McMilla of Ottumwa visited over the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hogge. Mrs. McMilla is a sister of Mrs. Hogge. Twelve guests met at the Hogge home Saturday evening to visit with the McMilla's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jorgenson of Milwaukee were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Heldt Thursday thru Saturday.

Miss Anna Lippold attended a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Adams. It was Mrs. Adams birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wittig of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Archer of Camanche and Mrs. Hanna Rath of Davenport were Sunday guests at the Chester Martin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kraft and family moved to the former home of Fink Moran.

Mrs. Brady Latimer is visiting her sister in Des Moines.

Mrs. Lowell Van Duzer has received word from New Haven, Conn., that her Aunt Minnie Brown of New Haven is seriously ill. Mrs. Brown is also an aunt of Claude Brown.

Arlene Wilson a niece of Mrs. Van Duzer returned to Chicago after spending her vacation in LeClaire.

Mrs. Ray Peterson of Wausa, Nebraska, cousin of Frank Clark was a visitor over the weekend at the Clark home. Mr. and Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Peterson visited in Morrison, Illinois, on Sunday.

During the past week Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Cooper of New Carlisle, Ohio have been visiting Mrs. Cooper's cousins in the vicinity.

A reunion, including basket dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Bragioner and family of LeClaire the afternoon and evening of Sunday the 19th.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Leamer and Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bowley, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Staak and Lois and Dick of LeClaire. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Heuble and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wood of Princeton. Mr. and Mrs. Cal McCollom, Low Moor, Mr. and Mrs. Winnie McCollom and Glen of Camanche, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ehrke of Davenport.

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**Argo**

By

**Mrs. Laura Gast**  
Route 1, LeClaire  
Telephone — Argo 211

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holden motored to Des Moines the first of last week to attend a Propane Gas Convention.

The Junior Choir of the Argo Church had their practise and social hour Wednesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brown. Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale is choir director and Mrs. Walter Bucks is the pianist.

Seven of the young people from the Argo Church attended the Young Peoples Institute last Monday evening. The meeting was held in the U. P. Church in Moline. Rev. Zion Robbins is the pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Paul motored to Des Moines Thursday morning to attend a trustee meeting of Iowa Synod of which Mr. Paul is a member.

The Loyal Mother's of the Argo Church will hold their monthly meeting Wednesday September 29th, in the home of Mrs. W. E. Paul.

The Gleaner's will hold their meeting September 30th in the home of Mrs. Cecil Leamer. Leader is Mrs. Bertha Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Leamer entertained in their home Wednesday evening with a dinner party honoring their cousins,

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooper from Ohio. On Thursday the Coopers, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bowley, Mrs. Roy Wood and Mrs. DeWitt Braggoner spent the day at Princeville, Illinois, with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sloan.

Mrs. Roy Bowley received word Wednesday of the death of her cousin, Dr. Harry Schwab, of Corpus Christi, Texas. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schwab of Fulton, Illinois, and has a number of relatives in this community.

Mrs. Lizzie Wilson is spending several days in the home of her sister, Mrs. Lena Sawyer.

Mrs. R. A. Steele of Rockwell City, Iowa, is visiting in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Loy Steele.

Approximately 450 attended the open house at Cody Elementary School last Friday evening. It is a very fine building, one of which the community can be proud.

Relatives and friends from two Davenport churches sponsored a farewell and personal shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dirksen and their two children, Danny and Donna, on September 28th at 7:30 p.m. The gathering was held on the lawn of the Malvern Kirby home near Summit Church. The Dirksens are leaving in the very near future for Brazil, where they will be missionaries.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale motored to LaCrosse, Wisconsin, Tuesday to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunlap. They plan to return on Thursday.

Mr. James Benson entered Mercy Hospital on Sunday for surgery on Monday.

Mrs. Lester Aufiff and young daughter, Louise Elaine returned home from St. Luke's last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benson and boys motored to Maquoketa Sunday morning, following church to have dinner and spend the afternoon with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Benson.

Mrs. Floyd Bickel of Argo has been caring for Mr. Bickel's mother in Princeton, who broke her arm recently.

**McCausland**

By

**Miss Anna McKinney**  
McCausland Post Office

Mrs. Ed Boltza entertained at a party in her home Saturday afternoon in honor of her birthday. Twenty five guests were present. 500 prizes were won by Mrs. Clara Erps, Mrs. Clara Knuth and Inez Dunnar.

Bunco awards went to Mrs. Anna Wilhelm, Mrs. Rachel Stewart and Mrs. Gertie Sieck.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kunde entertained the Euchre Club in their home Saturday evening. High scores were won by Mrs. Leon Oberlander, Harold Kuniede and Ed Spies. The next meeting will be with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spies.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Moyer and John Roesser of Freeport, Illinois, visited over the weekend with their mother, Mrs. Mary Roesser.

Loren Dalton has been named school director to fill the unexpired term of Reo Leischner, who moved to Long Grove.

Mr. Clifford P. gott arrived home Friday from St. Luke's hospital where she had undergone surgery a week previous.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Richards, Mrs. Nan Schneckloth and Mrs. B. L. Bates spent the weekend with relatives in Keokuk, Iowa.

Mrs. LaVern Moran and daughter of Cedar Rapids returned home after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fuller. Mrs. Fuller has been ill in her home the past two weeks.

**Princeton Girls on T. V.**

"Cheese Treats are Hard to Beat" was the demonstration given by Lila McConnell and Patsy Dannatt on the Today's Cooking program on TV last Thursday. The girls are members of the Princeton Liverwires 4-H Club led by Mrs. Eugene Dannatt and were blue ribbon winners at the Mississippi Valley Fair this fall.

**CARD OF THANKS**

For the acts of kindness by neighbors and friends during the extended illness and passing of our wife and mother, Mrs. Mary M. Ida Ney, we wish to express our thanks and appreciation.

Mr. Don Ney  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ney,  
Sr., and family  
Mrs. Grace Greim and family

**COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS**  
Princeton, Iowa.

The Town Council of Princeton, Iowa, met in regular session September 8, 1954, Mayor Ken Purington presiding. Present: Litscher, Suiter, Woomert, Peitscher. Absent: Wilkinson.

Treasurer's Report: Receipts-Liquor Control \$287.60, Road Use Tax \$160.11, Library Rent \$15.00, Balance \$1703.78. Moved by Peitscher 2nd by Litscher that Treas. Report be accepted. Motion carried.

Bills Presented  
Wayne Youngers  
Heating oil ..... \$31.02  
W. V. Lum Lbr Co.  
Street maint. ..... 4.35  
Frankie's Garage  
Repairs on tractor ..... 7.24

Omar Printing Co.  
Publishing ..... 28.30

K. L. Purington  
Office supplies ..... 1.80

Wagners Printers  
1000 Letterheads ..... 18.30

H. A. Shaw  
Office supplies ..... 2.00

John Litscher  
Freight charges ..... 2.06

Princeton Telephone Co.  
August bill ..... 4.71

Ia-Ill Gas & Elec. Co.  
Lights ..... 61.00

Cecil Hamilton & Sons  
Rock ..... 254.46

Chas. Branstetter  
Street labor ..... 5.00

John Mohlman  
Street labor ..... 74.50

Glen O. Brown  
Marshall's salary ..... 60.00

C. F. Settle Const. Co.  
Liquid asphalt ..... 595.00

Moved by Suiter 2nd by Woomert that bills be allowed.

Motion carried.

Dale Littrell appeared before Council regarding opening road adjacent to his property referred to Street & Alley Committee.

Moved by Peitscher 2nd by Litscher that meeting adjourn.

Motion carried.

Harriet A. Shaw, Town Clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Miller and Mr. and Mrs. August Erling, Jr. returned recently from a big-game hunt in the Big Horn Mountains in Wyoming. The couple left Princeton on September 10. They brought back four antelope and three deer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wood attended the annual reunion of "E" Company - 6th Engrs, World War I - 3rd Division Army. The three-day event attracted members from all parts of the United States and was held at El Rico Gardens in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Surprised by the postmark, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnson received a card from their son, Sgt. Homer Johnson, stationed in England. The card dated September 16 had been mailed from Cairo, Egypt. Homer was scheduled for an overseas furlough and expected to visit the British Isles. While the card did not give particulars, it is supposed that he decided suddenly to include Cairo in his travels.

**CHURCHES****ST JAMES CATHOLIC**

Princeton

Father Francis Duncan

Masses

Sunday	8:30 a.m.
Holy Days	8:00 a.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN**

Princeton

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a.m.
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.

**PROGRESS REPORT**

Building a Presbyterian manse has been the ambition of the local congregation for so long a time. Those in charge cooperation and enthusiasm are happy to report that are 100%.

The pledges are coming in and if you haven't been contacted and are interested, you may pledge at the bank or speak to any member of the congregation.

Remodeling in the church basement is also underway. The first step will be to install a new gas furnace.

A genuine spirit of cooperation and willingness is being shown by the men who have donated time and labor on this project, thus far.

The following men donated trucks to haul concrete blocks for the basement: Ed, Dick, Roy and Herbert Holst, Harry McConnell, Orville Stewart, Bert and Ralph Porter and Russell Enyeart.

Two weeks ago most of the basement blocks were laid by Les Long assisted by Orville Stewart, Sam Havenhill, Jr., sons, Harley Walker, Wayne Keith Havenhill, Norval Clem-Brown, Terry Damon and John Boesch.

Curtis Rogers, assisted by Eugene Dannatt, Norman Shrededer and Allen Elliott poured the cement steps to the west entrance of the basement.

The basement of the manse was completed about 6 p.m. Saturday. After the dirt is scraped in by Lawrence Carter with a bulldozer, the carpenter can begin.

Eighteen members of the Junior Youth Fellowship group of the Presbyterian Church enjoyed a wiener roast Monday night at the home of Mrs. Eugene Dannatt, their leader. Beverly took them to hills before eating, so all had appetites. Mary Ney lead devotions and hostesses were Mary, Marion Meinerd and Dixie Damon. The next meeting will be Monday night, October 25, and those in charge will be Carolyn Tobeay and Kay and Randy.

The Youth group were happy to report \$26 was made at the Bake Sale Saturday. Thanks to those who patronized and donated.

**ZION LUTHERAN**

Princeton

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor

Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
Worship Service	10:30 a.m.

Junior Youth	7:00 p.m.
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The Ladies of the Lutheran Church will meet Tuesday, October 12, in the home of Mrs. Frank Peitscher, with Mrs. Merritt Kitchen assisting. Note the change in dates.

**IN LAST WEEKS PICTURES**

Pictures in last weeks issue were graduating classes of the Princeton School. Pictures on the left - Ruth Freeman, Irene Shim, Phyllis Groves, Waldo Jones, Charles Schulz, Daisy Rook Davis and Ethel Peitscher

**ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC**

LeClaire

Father Francis Duncan

Masses

Sunday	9:00 a.m.
Holy Days	8:00 a.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**

LeClaire

Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship	11:00 a.m.

The Willing Workers of the Presbyterian Church held their regular meeting in the church annex Friday, with eighteen in attendance. Devotions were given by Helen Roberts. A business meeting was conducted. Plans were discussed for the September 28, Presbytery dinner. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. Leo Pries, Mrs. Rutherford, Mrs. Vincent Grubb and Mrs. Robert Moore.

The date of November 4 has been set for the Smorgasboard. A serving meeting is planned for October 7, at the church. Those attending should bring a sack-lunch.

**GOSPEL TABERNACLE**

LeClaire

Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor

**BAPTIST**

LeClaire

Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor

Sunday School	9:45 a.m.
Worship Service	11:00 a.m.

Young Peoples Christian Life	6:30 p.m.
Evening Service	7:30 p.m.

Wednesday:	
Choir practice	6:45 p.m.
Prayer - Bible Study	7:30 p.m.

October 10th, Rally Day, there will be a combined Sunday School and Church service beginning at 9:45 a.m. A program will be presented by the Sunday School.

**CALvary CHAPEL**

LeClaire

Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN**

Argo

Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale, Pastor

Sunday Services:	
Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.

Bible School	11:00 a.m.
Evening Services	7:00 p.m.

The Pioneer and Builder Youth groups meet at the same hour.

Midweek Services:	
Wednesday	8:00 p.m.

Friday evening, October 1, at 8 p.m. the Argo Church will conduct preparatory services preceding the World Wide Communion on Sunday, October 3, at 10 a.m. Sunday evening services, for all three meetings, will be 7 o'clock.

**METHODIST**

McCausland

Rev. Charles H. Stange, Minister

Church School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

McConnell, teacher. In the picture on the right: Bernice Fulton Fletcher, Elda Marie Peitscher Morgan, Florence Stichter McKenzie, Vera Du-Cray Doyle, Laura Suiter Holst, Fred Grams, Everett Shinn and Ethel Peitscher McConnell.

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## Blast Starts Local Quarry Operations



Weaver Construction Company workmen are busy making little ones out of big ones, meaning they are crushing rock. This scene, taken from atop the natural formation, shows rock being loaded on dumps for movement to the crusher. The scale is located on the inbound drive.

### Mrs. Mary Matilda Ney Passes After Long Illness

PRINCETON—Mrs. Mary Matilda Ney, 74, of Princeton and a life resident of Scott County was laid to rest in Oakridge cemetery, Princeton, Thursday, September 23.

Born in McCausland on February 18, 1880, Mary Matilda Blocker was the daughter of Jurgens and Mary Blocker. She departed this life at 3:30 p. m. Monday, September 20, after an illness of one year. She attended school in Princeton and on October 25, 1899, married David W. Ney in Prairie du Chien, Wisconsin. The couple lived in Princeton since their marriage. Mrs. Ney was a practical nurse in the community for many years.

Funeral services were held at the McGinnis funeral home at 1:30 p. m. September 23, with the Rev. Richard Otten, pastor of Zion Lutheran Church officiating. Bearers were Harry MacDonald, brother-in-law, Eugene Dinkle, Richard Elliott, Ted Martin, nephews; Rilhard Greim and Ralph Ney, Jr., grandsons.

Surviving are her husband; a son Ralph W., Princeton; a daughter, Mrs. Grace Greim, Rock Island, 12 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren. Her parents and 11 brothers and sisters preceded her in death.

### Roy Curtis Enters Horses

PRINCETON—Seven head of Belgian Horses have been entered by Roy M. Curtis of Princeton, Iowa in the National Belgian Horse show, which is a highlight feature of the National Dairy Congress.

The exposition will be held at Waterloo, October 2 thru 9, with the judging in the National Belgian show being on Sunday and Monday, October 3 and 4.

### WHITE'S TO OBSERVE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY



Mr. and Mrs. William "Bill" White

Mr. and Mrs. William White of LeClaire will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Friday, October 1, 1954. Open house will be held Sunday from 2 to 6 at their home. Mr. White and the former Carrie Anderson were married October 1, 1904 in Princeton and have resided in this vicinity all their lives. Mr. and Mrs. White are the parents of 9 living children, Frank White 14.

### MC CAUSLAND PARENT - TEACHERS ANNOUNCE EVENTS

MC CAUSLAND — At a recent meeting of the Parents and Teachers of the McCausland School officers for the current school year were elected. Mrs. Jerry Pool is president. Mrs. Loren Dalton will be the treasurer and secretary is Mrs. John D. Ploog.

Plans were made for a Bake Sale to be held October 2, in the Hansen Pool Variety store. Also announced is a benefit card party to be held in the school basement Saturday evening, October 9.

### ROCK PRODUCED FOR PAVING HIGHWAY 61

PRINCETON — It was a mighty blast that shook the country-side Saturday as hundreds of tons of rock tore away from the solid bed and rumbled down into a gigantic pile amid a cloud of dust.

The whole thing was planned and will be repeated often, in the next two months, as the Weaver Construction Company crush rock on the McKnight property, just north of Princeton.

Headed by Mr. W. W. Weaver of Iowa Falls, Iowa, the company has the contract to supply rock material for the construction of highway 61. Mr. Paul Bennett is their local superintendent.

Prior to moving their huge crusher into the McKnight Quarry the Weaver Company crushed and hauled some 19,000 tons of rock from the Schneekloth Pit, south of McCausland. This rock was used as a base for the new road.

Also being operated by the company is a sand plant, two miles east of McCausland on the Wapsip River. This sand and the rock from the McKnight pit will be the mixture for the concrete of the new highway.

Actual pouring got underway Tuesday as Cameron Joyce Company of Keokuk started two paving outfits. Every effort is being made to complete and open the road before winter weather.

The McKnight Quarry has never been operated as such by the owner, Mrs. Frank McKnight. In years gone by, some rock was removed from the deposit by local people for miscellaneous purposes. Reportedly the rock has a very favorable test for concrete mixing purposes.

During 1951 and '52 Scott County leased the property and crushed rock for nearby county maintained roads. There was no new processing in 1953, but the county completed the removal of their stock pile.

Today the scene is a beehive of activity. An endless procession of trucks are filled at the crusher or from the stock pile and move across the scales before heading to the job site via county "H" through Princeton.

Some fifty trucks are operating in rapid shuttle service between the quarry and

the highway project. Mr. Weaver reports he is short of trucks and would like to double the present fleet. Sunday night the operation was stepped up to a continuous, 24-hour per day schedule.

Some local labor is being utilized and the project superintendent indicated that he is looking for more.

Four classes of material are produced at the quarry. The fine or pulverized material is classed as agriculture limestone, which Mr. Weaver hopes to dispose of locally. Chip rock, road stone and concrete stone are also produced. It is the latter category which is being hauled to the job at this time.

It is a noisy procedure of producing the finished product from the solid deposit of rock. On top of the vein of rock a bulldozer removed dirt and cleared the way for the drilling machine. Methodically holes are drilled at a certain distance from the edge of the rock wall, which was made from a previous blast. The explosive charge is loaded into these holes to break huge chunks of material from the solid mass. More blasts will be set off when additional material is needed to feed the powerful crusher.

For below the top of the natural formation a mechanical scoop digs into the loosened pile and loads huge end dumping vehicles which haul the large chunks up a ramp and into the mouth of the crusher.

Out of the crusher comes the four types of material. A stock pile is used to maintain an equal balance between production and delivery.

The twelve-mile haul causes variances in the trucks turnaround schedules. If the trucks are all on the road the rock from the crusher is dumped on the stock pile. On the other hand, if more trucks are at the pit than can be loaded directly, from the crusher they are filled from the stock pile.

As you observe this parade of loaded gravel trucks, remember, that this rock in its usable form just didn't happen. A lot of planning, equipment and processing is required to make the most of this abundant raw material.

### Princeton Farm Bureau Elects Mrs. Stewart

PRINCETON — Mrs. Orville Stewart was elected president of the Princeton township Farm Bureau at the first meeting of the season in the Stewart home. Mrs. Bob Porter was elected vice-president and Mrs. Raymond Hamilton, secretary-treasurer and publicity chairman. The nominating committee was composed of Mildred Holst, Ethel McConnell and Virginia Moorhead.

Assisting the hostess were Martha Holst and Mrs. Bob Porter. Pouring were Mrs. Porter and Mrs. Harry McConnell.

There were twenty-five present to hear the retiring president, Mrs. Bob Porter

present the plans outlined for future work.

The lesson October 27 at 1:30 p.m., in the home of Mrs. Eloise Robb, will be "Understanding the Teenager" and given by Mrs. Zuber.

Basket weaving will be the November lesson. The Bookmobile will stop at 10:40 a.m., October 6 and 20 at Salem Lutheran Cemetery for the convenience of those who care to obtain books.

Maybe the tractor has replaced the plow horse, but from what we can gather there is a lot of activity involving saddle horses and trail rides.

Is there an organization in this area? How and where can we get news and photos concerning your activities?

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## Ronald Hamilton Not Injured In Crash

### POLIO CLAIMS

#### PATRICIA KETELSON

Funeral services for Patricia Jolene Ketelsen age 9 of Grand Mound were held in the Lutheran Church in Grand Mound on Monday with burial in Elmwood cemetery, DeWitt.

Patricia, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ketelsen, was born September 19, 1944, in Davenport. She attended Calamus school.

The Ketelsen family formerly lived in the Locust Lane district, near Princeton, before moving to Calamus five years ago.

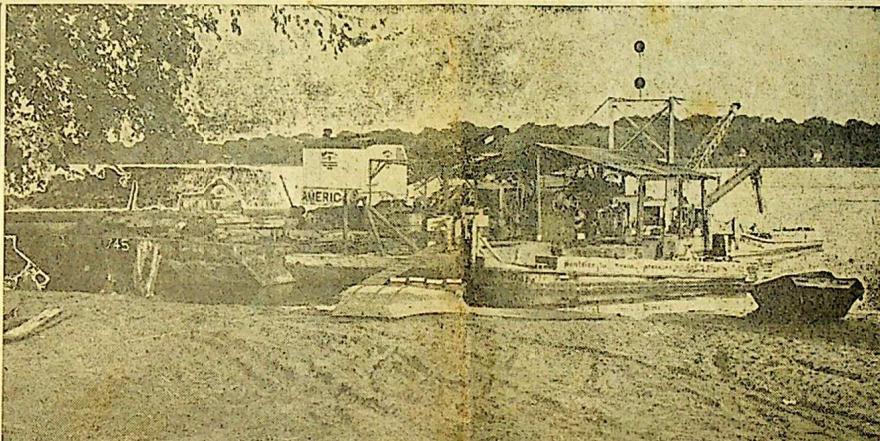
Survivors besides the parents are a brother Weldon and a sister Elaine, both at home. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ketelsen of DeWitt and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stutz, McCausland.

### LeClaire Township Farm Bureau Elects Officers

ARGO — The LeClaire Township Farm Bureau held a community meeting at the Stone School last Friday evening and enjoyed a good attendance.

Following the supper the annual election of officers was held. Alvin Holst was reelected chairman. Howard Hamilton was again elected to serve as secretary and treasurer.

The gathering was entertained by the Boege sisters and their accordians.



Pentzien's barges and dredging equipment is shown tied at the Iowa side of the river in Princeton. The project was finished last week. The six-inch line may be replaced next year.

### Lutheran Church To Serve Ham Supper

PRINCETON — Women of the Zion Lutheran Church in Princeton will serve a ham supper Wednesday, September 29, in the church basement dining room. Serving will start at 5:30 p.m. and is open to the public.

### Sycamore School P. T. A. Announces Officers

LE CLAIRE — Officers for the current school year have been announced by Sycamore School Parent Teachers Association.

Heading the organization is Mrs. Harold Paget, president. Mrs. Robert McClanahan and Mrs. Frank Maher are vice-presidents.

### BEVERLY HOLST - RICHARD McMAHON EXCHANGE VOWS

PRINCETON — At a pretty ceremony at 7:30 p.m. Friday in the Princeton Presbyterian Church, Miss Beverly Ann Holst, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David F. Holst of Princeton became the bride of Richard W. McMahon, son of Mr. and Mrs. William McMahon of 2036 Claussen, Davenport, Iowa.

White chrysanthemums and gladioli were beautiful in the soft candlelight that adorned the Altar at which the bride was given by her father.

Dr. H. J. Rendall of Morrison, Illinois, pastor of the church, officiated at the double ring ceremony. Miss Marlene Rogers of Princeton was soloist and Mrs. Jean Tomfield of Muscatine was pianist.

The bride wore a gown of Chantilly type lace of nylon.

sparkled with sequins and carried bouquets of yellow chrysanthemums.

Patricia Ann Youngers of Princeton, niece of the bride, was flower girl, wearing a gown fashioned like the senior attendants. Robert McMahon, brother of the groom, was ringbearer.

Martin Marko of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, was best man. Ushers were Allan Ohl and William Dibbern both of Davenport.

A reception for a great many relatives and friends was held in the Blue Room of Central Turners Hall in Davenport.

The bride is a graduate of Clinton High School and a member of Echo Rebekah Lodge in Princeton. She is employed by Dewey Portland Cement Company.

### CAR AND TRUCK CRASH ON 67 IN PRINCETON

PRINCETON — Shortly after noon Tuesday three people escaped serious injury when a car and loaded gravel truck collided at the Lower Crossing intersection of Highway 67 in Princeton.

The automobile, a late model Packard, was driven by Ward Drayton of Davenport. Mrs. Drayton was also a passenger in the car. The truck belonging to Cecil Hamilton was driven by his son Ronald.

Reportedly, the Drayton car pulled onto the highway, from the east, into the path of the northbound truck. The impact caused heavy damage to the car and the truck careened off the pavement, tipped over and knocked down a railroad flasher signal. The crushed rock was spilled onto the road and in the ditch.

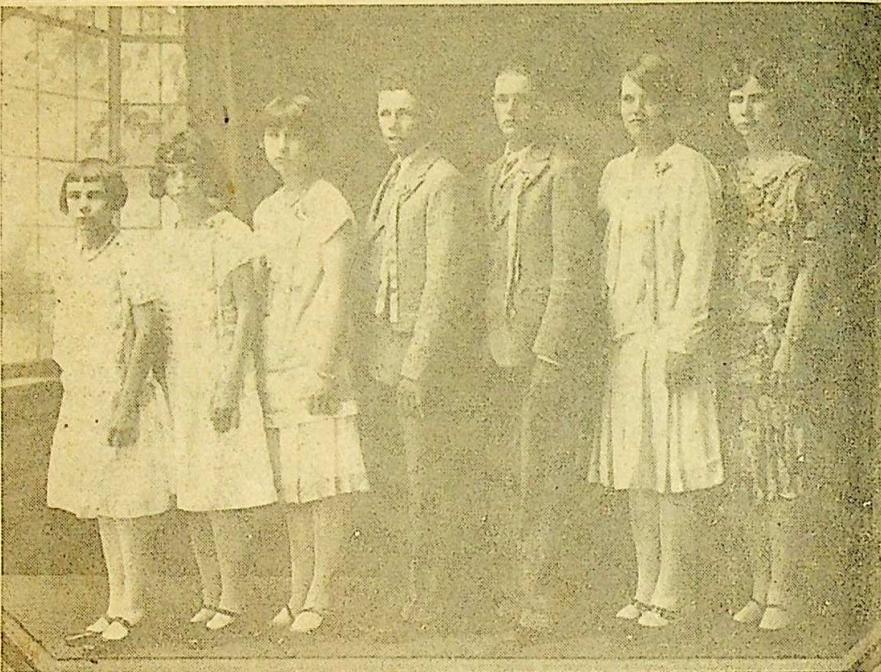
The Princeton Fire Department answered an alarm reporting the truck to be burning, however there was little or no damage caused by fire.

The occupants of the car were not believed to be seriously injured even though they were taken to a Davenport hospital for examination. Hamilton also escaped injury.

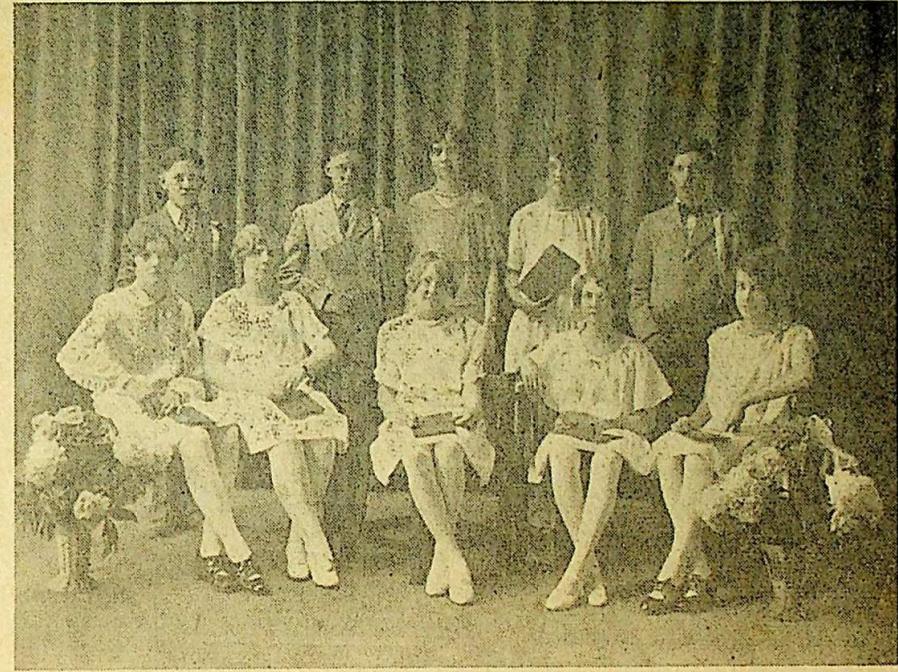
Al's Garage wrecker was used to clear the damaged vehicles. Scott County sheriff's deputies were at the scene.

A railroad signal maintenance employee was called to remove the damaged flasher and make any necessary repair of the circuit. The flasher will be replaced as soon as parts are secured.

for their art project.



**GUESS WHO?** We'll give you a clue — they are Princeton School graduating classes. These pictures were made available through the courtesy of Mrs. (Oops! I promised not to tell, to save life and limb.) Next week



a list of the names will be published. Out of respect for women's ages we may not name the year. (Seriously, let us know if you enjoy these pictures of "yesterday" and we will arrange to print others, from time to time.)

## Argo

By  
Mrs. Laura Gast  
Route 1, LeClaire  
Telephone — Argo 211

Mr. and Mrs. James Lively motored to West Liberty, Iowa, to see Mr. Lively's mother who fell and broke her arm.

The Willing Workers Class of the U. P. Church will hold their monthly meeting Thursday afternoon, September 23, at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Steele. The leader will be Mrs. Earl Benson.

Seventy-two young people and their sponsors attended the first meeting of the Institute held Monday evening in the Argo Church.

On September 26th the Argo

Warren Hamilton homes on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Hamilton attended a Gideon meeting in Marshalltown, Iowa, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Farrell welcomed a baby girl to their home last Friday. Her name is Janet Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Auliff are looking for a girls name. The baby arrived Sunday morning at St. Luke's hospital.

Gary Benson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benson, received notification and a check that he was one of the winners in the United Presbyterian Church National Temperance essay contest. Congratulations Gary.

Next Sunday morning September 26 the Argo Church will return to Central Standard time. Morning worship at 10 a.m. and evening services

# TRADING POST

## ADVERTISEMENT ORDER

THE WEEKLY NEWS,  
Princeton, Iowa.

Please insert the advertisement, entered below, in the Community Trading Post of the (date) issue of The Weekly News.

(Print or type your advertisement in this space.)

RATES - Two cents per word, minimum fifty cents.

FOR SALE - 1948 KAISER GOOD SHAPE — CHEAP Shirley Chapman - Call Princeton 12 before 4 p.m. Call Davenport 58-3414 after 4:30.

For Rent - three furnished rooms, bath, use of laundry, private entrance; electricity, bottle gas and heat furnished. \$15.00 per week. Mrs. George Southworth, Princeton 2203.

Anthony Portz, Box 214, City

# THE WEEKLY NEWS



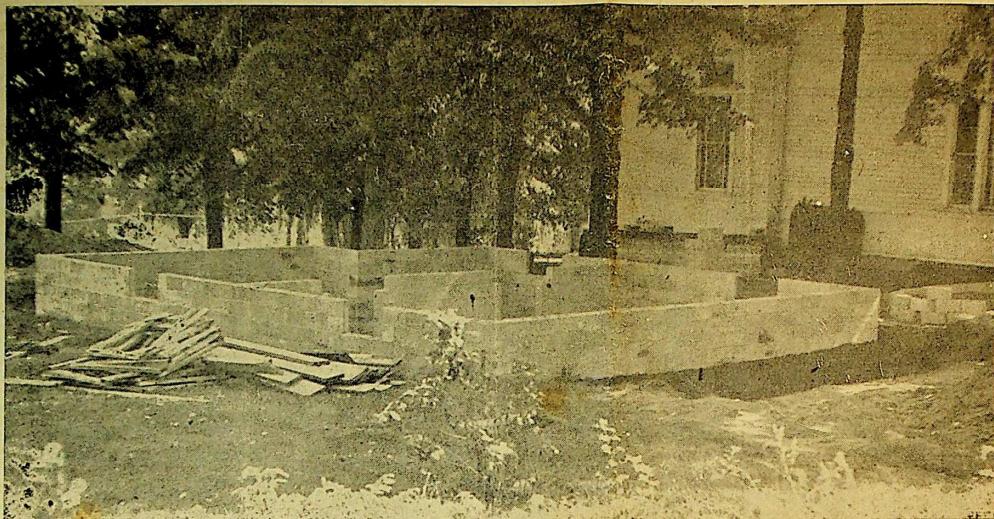
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VOLUME I

## Church's Building Program Outlined



From this foundation and basement wall, the start of the Presbyterian Church manse, will rise the fulfillment

of hopes and plans of the congregation for many years. When completed the church will have a resident pastor.

### Community Support Appreciated

PRINCETON - The Princeton Presbyterian Church has been the scene of a flurry of activity since the start of the new building program a few weeks ago. A new well has been drilled, a remodeling project has been started in the basement of the church and the basement for the new manse is completed.

The church, which has been under the pastorate of Rev. H. J. Rendall from Morrison, Illinois, received a gift several years ago from Ernest Scott, now a resident of Wilton Junction. From this nucleus, and other substantial contributions which have been accumulated, the new \$10,000 building and improvement program has grown.

A. W. Elliott, Chairman of the Trustees and Fund Raising committee, states that \$5,000. in cash has already been amassed from previous gifts and recent donations and that the success of the project is assured. In addition, \$2630.00 has been pledged to be paid within four years. All prospective contributors have not as yet been contacted and it is anticipated that an additional \$2500.00 in cash and pledges will be raised within the next few weeks.

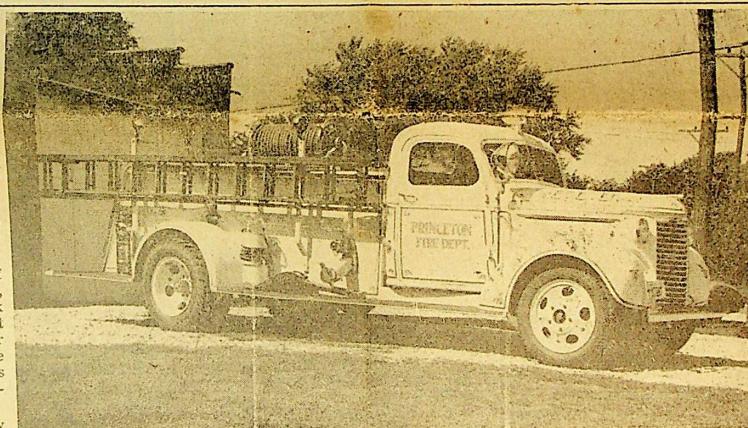
Included in the undertaking are the building of an attractive modern story and one half bungalow on the lot just north of the church, enlargement of the Sunday School space in the basement which is greatly needed due to the increased attendance and membership, installation of a new heating plant in the church, a rest room and improved kitchen facilities in the basement of the church.

Mrs. Ray Holst, Chairman of the Building Committee, announces that work is progressing on schedule. Lawrence Carter donated the excavating of the basement of the manse with his bulldozer. Lester Long furnished his masonry equipment and he and other volunteers poured the footings and laid the blocks in record time. In making way for additional Sunday school space and a modern kitchen in the church basement, Curtis Rogers has headed the crew to remove the old furnace room.

Bids were taken for the actual building of the manse and the contract was let to the low bidder, Andy Thompson, who has made provisions for donated labor. Work will begin within a few days.

A. W. Elliott and Mrs. Ray Holst have expressed their appreciation for the wonderful cooperation that has been given their committees and for the pledges of money and generously given work. Assistance has been given in cash and donated labor from not only the congregation but by friends from other churches. Although fine progress is being made, additional funds and help will be needed and any contributions will be greatly appreciated.

The Church will hold their Annual Chicken Dinner in the Princeton Community Hall on Wednesday, October 13. The proceeds will help their building program. A bazaar is also held in conjunction with the supper.



Princeton's fire truck shown above was cleaned and polished to participate in a county-wide Fire Prevention parade in Davenport last Sunday. The tanker and second truck did not go.

### CLINTON MAN DIES AFTER CAR WRECK

An early morning auto accident about two miles south of Princeton Saturday, took the life of a Clinton man, David Ogden, 33, driving south on route 67, apparently lost control of his car on a curve and plunged over a 25-foot embankment. He died in a Davenport hospital about six hours after the accident.

There were no eye witnesses to the accident. Time of the mishap was placed between 2:20 a.m. and 2:45 a.m. An eastbound freight train passed the scene at the earlier time and did not notice any wreckage. Shortly afterwards, about 2:45 a.m., another eastbound freight passed the accident location and saw the wrecked car. The car had come to rest at the bottom of the ditch some twenty feet from the track.

Upon arrival at Princeton the train crew hailed a passing car and notified them of the accident. At about the same time Arnold Bowers, railroad

### Claude Wilson Dies In Oregon

Claude Wilson died at his home in Portland, Ore., on August 30, 1954. He was born in Le Claire Township, August 23, 1877. In 1904 he with his family moved to Canada.

Surviving are two sisters, Vera Ryner, Barrington, Ill., and Jennie Fletcher, Rockford, Ill., and a brother Roy of Spokane, Wash. A brother Fred and a sister Clarissa Kroeger preceded him in death.

night operator at LeClaire, was sent to Princeton to deliver a train order to the waiting train and came upon the scene, where a semi truck had pulled up to the edge of the shoulder to use a spotlight to examine the wreckage.

Bowers continued on to Princeton from where he called a LeClaire physician. A Bettendorf ambulance was summoned. Reportedly, nearly an hour, was required to remove and carry the injured man up the steep embankment.

### Arthur Stichter

#### Hurt In Fall

PRINCETON - Arthur Stichter of Camanche, a former well known Princeton township farmer, had the misfortune Friday of falling and breaking both bones in one leg and the heel of the other foot.

He and four other employees of Montgomery Ward's farm store of Clinton were erecting an outside wire corner sign when the scaffold suddenly gave way throwing all five men to the ground.

### GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL PLANS RALLY NITE

PRINCETON — Ten troop leaders and committed women of the Girl Scout Council of Princeton met in a business session Tuesday evening at Lea-Mars.

Troop 81 cannot register due to age limit and is being disbanded.

Mrs. Ben H. Shaw and Mrs. Leatha Finkle are leaders of the Brownies Troop 85.

Mrs. Dale Domer and Mrs. Lester Long are registering as Leaders on Troop 88.

### Miss Hattie Sweeney Buried Tuesday

LECLAIRE — Funeral services were conducted at 9 a.m. Tuesday at St. Henry's Church in LeClare for Miss Hattie Sweeney with the Rev. Francis J. Duncan as celebrant of a Requiem High Mass. Interment was made at Glendale Cemetery in LeClare.

Miss Sweeney passed away at 11 p.m. Saturday in Mercy Hospital following an illness of one year. Born August 1, 1888 in LeClare, she was the daughter of the late Hugh and Mary Anne Sweeney. She had been employed as a saleslady for Goldblatt's in Chicago for several years, later returning to LeClare.

Surviving are two sisters; Mrs. Lila Stichter and Mrs. Josephine Thompson, and one brother, Charles, all of LeClare.

Mrs. Lester Long and Mrs. Leatha Finkle, assistant, are leaders of the older Intermediates.

October 20 was selected as Rally Nite, which will be held at the Community Hall.

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## HOW SAFE IS YOUR HOME FROM FIRE ?

The period October 3-9 has been designated as Fire Prevention Week. Now is the time to check your property and determine just how safe you are from a disastrous and costly fire. A few minutes of your time today — may save you a heart ache tomorrow.

If a fire inspector were to visit your property the following are the things he would observe. (You can be your own inspector, by checking the list. If you find faults correct them now — tomorrow may be too late.)

### FIRE INSPECTION CHECK LIST

- ..... Accumulation of dry leaves should be cleared away from behind shrubbery, near house and roof eaves.
- ..... Soot in chimneys and heating units should be removed at least annually.
- ..... Roofs should be in good condition to prevent spark fires.
- ..... Pipes entering chimneys should be free from holes and cracks, fit tightly and have a metal collar.
- ..... Metal containers should be used for ashes.
- ..... Tightly covered metal containers should be used for oily rags and mops.
- ..... Be sure that electric circuits are sufficient to carry peak loads.
- ..... Do not use improper fuses. Overloaded circuits through too-heavy fuses are hazardous.
- ..... Watch lamp and appliance cords for dangerous wear and breaks — never string electric cords over nails or under rugs.
- ..... Don't let grease accumulate on stove — and keep grease containers away from stove.
- ..... Keep matches in metal container away from small children.
- ..... Keep a screen in front of your fireplace.
- ..... Keep inflammable liquids in properly marked metal containers and store outdoors.
- ..... Remove rubbish, litter and old papers from attic, basement, store rooms and garage to prevent spontaneous ignition.

Three out of four fires are caused by:

Matches and careless smoking habits.  
Faulty electrical wiring and apparatus.

Heating and cooking stoves.

Carelessness with inflammable liquids.

Your Fire Department is as anxious to prevent fires as it is to extinguish them. You can stop that fire before it ever starts.

Herb Peitscher  
Fire Chief  
Princeton Fire Department

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This calendar is published as a public service, to serve as a reminder of coming events and to assist interested people in selecting future dates. Every effort will be made to present an accurate calendar. Check each week for changes and additions.

October 13, Wednesday —  
Princeton Presbyterian Church, Annual Chicken Dinner at Princeton Community Hall. . . .

October 20, Wednesday —  
Girl Scout Rally Nite, Sixth Anniversary, Princeton Community Hall. . . .

October 22, Friday —  
Echo Rebekah Lodge, public dance at Princeton Community Hall. . . .

October 27, Wednesday —  
St. Henrys Parish, LeClaire, public card party, 500 and Bunco, 8 p.m. at the church hall. . . .

November 5, 6, Friday and Saturday —  
Echo Rebekah Lodge, comedy "Funnybone Follies," at Princeton Community Hall. . . .

November 12, Friday —  
Princeton Fire Department, Annual Benefit Dance at Princeton Community Hall. . . .

# COFFEE TIME

by

Leona Farley

HELLO AGAIN — Have you noticed the sumac has turned red already?

I have been so busy with my daily duties that I haven't had much time for window gazing — but since you have dropped in let's take our cup of coffee and window gaze for awhile.

FALL and October in particular, is my favorite time of the year. I just love each day — look, there are some ducks along the river — over there the leaves on the trees are beginning to turn yellow and all shades of red. Some leaves are starting to drop.

Did you ever, when you were a child — or perhaps still do — take a walk thru a wooded area at this time of the year? As you walk along how the dry fallen leaves rustle and crackle at your feet. Maybe you took a friend along and how you would each shuffle along to see which could make the most noise. Then you would find a hickory nut tree and fill your pockets bulging full before returning home.

Perhaps you played a little game to see which could find the prettiest leaves — or picked a bouquet of bittersweet.

And the sun this time of the year — oooh, it feels so warm and comfortable on these cool days. Look at the sky, too, — ever see it so blue or the white clouds fluffier?

Okay, I will admit that some of the days are not quite so pleasant when it is rainy and windy — but even Mother Nature has to do fall house cleaning.

But I still say, Ah, autumn, if ever there comes perfect days!

"I like that program," said one small-fry to another while watching TV one evening.

"Why?"

"Because it's over."

Man does not live by bread alone — no? — well, almost in these days of high meat prices.

### REVERSE CHARGES

The telephone rang shrilly in the middle of the night, and as the man picked up the receiver his heart was hammering. Who could be calling at this hour? "Is that you son?" he heard a familiar voice say.

"Mom! What's wrong?"

"Nothing's wrong," his mother chuckled. "It's your birthday day."

"Holy smokes! You didn't have to drag me out of bed at 3 a.m. just to tell me happy birthday did you?"

"Well, you made me get out of bed at 3 a.m. thirty years ago tonite and I felt it was high time I paid you back!"

Niece: "What is a bull sleepin' under a tree called?"

Uncle: "I don't know."

Niece: "Bull - dozin'."

Did you hear about the little boy who got lost from his mother while shopping in the city?

He bravely walked up to a policeman and asked "Did you see a lady go by without me?"

Let's have a poetry day sometime, shall we? I would enjoy any contributions whether they be your own or a friend's. Or if you have a favorite poem you enjoy reading, send it along — we'd like to share it with our friends of COFFEE TIME. My address is LeClaire, Route 1.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:  
Keep your face to the sunshine and you cannot see the shadow.

— Helen Keller.

## Princeton

By

Mrs. Lloyd Sierk  
Phone Princeton 2721  
Rte 1, Princeton

Irma Holdorf is recovering satisfactorily in St. Luke's hospital after surgery. She has been with her sister, Mrs. Herbert Peitscher, for several months.

Esther Scheel was honored on her birthday at a "Sewing Bee" Tuesday in the Presbyterian Church basement in preparation for the bazaar on October 13. Jean Porter baked the birthday cake. Mrs. Scheel reported that the Brayton's who were involved in the auto accident in Princeton, are cousins of Mr. Scheel.

Linda Siem treated her Grassy Lane school mates on her 11th birthday.

Kenneth Suiter was one year old last week and his parents entertained the Suiter family at a dinner the Sunday before. On his birthday a group of little friends and their mothers were invited in. A decorated cake was the center of attraction for the little guests.

David Adams, who is a Junior at Iowa City, was to have been on "Especially for You" WOC-TV Thursday, but the World Series took that time.

Mrs. Anna Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shaw, Margaret, Bob and Larry visited Sunday afternoon in the Lloyd Sierk home.

Mrs. Archie Carter of Alexandria, W. Va., is spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fletcher.

Mrs. Clyde Tobey and family helped her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Cousins of DeWitt, celebrate their 40th anniversary last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frevert of Colorado Springs visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porter on Wednesday. They are the parents of John Frevert, son-in-law of the Porters.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson and granddaughter, Debbie, of Maple Park, Ill., spent a short time Wednesday nite at the Anderson home here. They were enroute from Oslo and Geneseo.

Bertha Dennis was honored at a family dinner Sunday in the Paul Dennis home. The occasion was her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Court Spinsby spent the weekend with Pfc. and Mrs. Russell Spinsby in West Point Ky. The elder Spinsby's have purchased the Indiana school building in LeClaire township and will move it to their farm and remodel it for a residence.

John A. Fletcher visited for two weeks with his cousin, Mrs. Lizzie Wilson. He was a dinner guest Friday evening in the Robert Aufiff home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Porter and family left Friday morning for Kearney, Nebr., where he attended a regional meeting of the Barbershop Choristers. Jean and children visited with her mother in Omaha while he went to Kearney.

Mrs. Tom Rubberg and Mrs. Velma Fletcher accompanied Pfc. Gary Rubberg to his army camp in Missouri. They returned by train. Mrs. Fletcher had just returned home when she was notified of the injuries received by her grandson, Dwane Fletcher in an auto accident near Eldridge. He is recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jassi of Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Kilingburg of Moline visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Birney. Mrs. Kilingburg and Mrs. Birney were in Moline hospital at the same time recently.

Evelyn Wilson, Elaine Stewart, Irma Litscher and Eunice Aufiff attended the Low Moor Rebekah Rally Tuesday nite.

# PRINCETON PRESBYTERIAN

## ANNUAL CHICKEN SUPPER

*and Bazaar*

**WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 13, 1954**

**PRINCETON COMMUNITY HALL**

**Serving Starts at 5:00 p.m.**

**Your attendance will help our building program.**

Elaine and Irma were prize winners.

Florence Dennis was a Thursday overnight guest in the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Ralston of Clinton. Mrs. Dorvan Ralston and son, Stanley, who reside in Alabama are visiting the Ralstons. Their daughter Jolee and granddaughter, Dona Jo, of Ames also were home for the weekend. They have received word that their son, Gaylord, who has been in the Navy in the far East for nearly four years will be released in the near future.

Mrs. Bayles of near DeWitt was a visitor in the Pineo home one day last week.

Dick and Mil Holst attended the Waterloo Dairy Congress Saturday.

Gloria Wolfe entertained twelve girl friends at a pink and blue shower for Mary McCallom Nissen and baby Linda. The girls played Court Whist.

### PRINCETON

Sunday dinner guests and callers at the Al Pries home were; Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Wuerflein of Scarville, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Pries, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pries and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Boege all of LeClaire; Alvin Johnson of Great Lakes Proving Center

and Harold Johnson of Bettendorf.

Mrs. Harry Bateman of Decatur, Ill., is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Dan Pain. She is also visiting another daughter, Mrs. Alta Collier, in Bettendorf before returning home late next week.

Charlotte Tague, age 6, was pleasantly surprised last Saturday when 21 classmates and friends gathered at her home on the occasion of her birthday. Charlotte is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Tague. Many lovely gifts were presented. After an afternoon of games cake and ice cream was served.

Lloyd Tague departed Saturday morning for Minneapolis to attend a Hair Stylist Convention. He and his brother Rex are to appear on the platform to present a styling for "The Forever Yours" permanent solution, which is exclusive at their shop in Daviessport.

Both Lloyd and Rex appear regularly on Pat Scott's "Frankly Feminine" TV show over WHBF. Lloyd appeared this week at 4 p. m. on Wednesday and Rex will be on next week. The brothers alternate on their weekly appearance.

## School Activities

### LE CLAIRE HIGH SCHOOL

By Jan McCollam

Girls basketball is finally on its way. There are about 25 girls out this year. The first game is scheduled with Welton the 26th of October in Le Claire.

The Lettermans Club is sponsoring a hay rack ride Saturday the 9th of October. The Lettermen are selling tickets 50c each. Or see Mr. Clein, who is the director.

### PRINCETON SCHOOL

By Kay Long - Eighth Grade

The fifth and sixth grades are making dishes out of clay and are making molds for the third and fourth grades to paint.

The kindergarten through the eighth grades will be excused from school the 18th of October.

For music the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades are learning to square dance. Jim Graham was one of the eighth grades who helped win first prize in conservation contest last year.

The pop corn is selling real well. We are selling it to the lower grades.

### GIFTS FOR ALL OCCASIONS

COMPLETE LINE OF GREETING CARDS

CHRISTMAS LAY-AWAY READY NOW

Choose While Line Is Complete

**LEA - MARS**

PRINCETON, IOWA

Inadvertently two names were omitted from last week's list of people in the photos. They are Marie Schulz and David Mc Clehan in photo on right back row—standing extreme right.

## CHURCHES

### UNITED PRESBYTERIAN

Argo

Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale  
Pastor

Sunday Services:

Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.

Bible School 11:00 a.m.

Evening Services 7:00 p.m.

The Pioneer and Builder Youth

groups meet at the same hour.

Midweek Services:

Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

### ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC

LeClaire

Father Francis Duncan  
Masses

Sunday 9:00 a.m.

Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

LeClaire

Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

### METHODIST

McCausland

Rev. Charles H. Stange,  
Minister

### GOSPEL TABERNACLE

LeClaire

Church School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor

Worship Sunday 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

### ST JAMES CATHOLIC

Princeton

Father Tom Taylor

### BAPTIST

LeClaire

Masses

Sunday 8:30 a.m.

Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor

### PRESBYTERIAN

Princeton

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Young Peoples Christian

Life 6:30 p.m.

Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday:

Choir practice 6:45 p.m.

Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

### ZION LUTHERAN

Princeton

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor

### CALVARY CHAPEL

LeClaire

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**Argo**

By

**Mrs. Laura Gast**  
Route 1, LeClaire  
Telephone — Argo 211

LeClaire 4-H Girls met in the home of Marsh Wenhausen Saturday afternoon. During the evening the group enjoyed a skating party at the Trio.

The 4-H boys will have their meeting Thursday evening, October 7, in the Howard Brown home. Howard Brown and Russell Bucks are their leaders.

Eleven young people and their sponsors motored to Rock Island a week ago Monday in the evening to attend the third Institute meeting which was held in the First U. P. Church. Rev. J. J. Vellinga is the pastor.

Mrs. James Benson who underwent surgery last week at Mercy hospital is doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holden received word that Mr. Holden's mother, Mrs. Glenn Holden, who lives at Washington, Iowa, is progressing satisfactorily after surgery in the Washington hospital.

Randy Rogers, a pupil at the Cody Elementary school is in the hospital as a result of an injury incurred while playing at school. The children, are all so sorry about it and hope that Randy will soon be back to school.

The school board of the Elementary school met recently and set October 23rd as the auction date for the buildings on the Argo school grounds.

Word has been received of the birth of a baby daughter, Melinda Ellen born to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nicholas of Valencia, Pa. Mrs. Nicholas was formerly Joy Fletcher daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fletcher of Des Moines and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Fletcher of Argo.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall and family from California are moving into a house on the Stella Moffit property, one and a half miles east of Argo.

Forty three members and their families of the L. O. A. class gathered in the Argo church basement last Thursday evening for a potluck supper and social hour. One of the celebrations of the evening was the birthday of Walter Bucks.

The L. O. A. class will hold their monthly meeting Thursday, October 7 in the home of Mrs. Cecil Leamer. Leader is Mrs. Herbert Schluempf.

The Womens Missionary Society and the Good Samaritan Young Womens Society will hold a joint meeting at the church October 14. At noon a luncheon will be served. The afternoon meeting will be sponsored by the Good Samaritan's. The speaker will be Mrs. John W. Bailey from Coal Valley, Ill.

Rev. Mr. Ramsdale and Elder R. A. Brown will attend the meeting of Iowa Synod in Clarion.

Mrs. Russell Kraft who has spent several days in St. Luke's hospital will return to her home this week.

Duane Fletcher who met with an accident last Thursday evening is improved at Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Fred McConnell is much improved from her recent illness and wishes to thank all for the many cards and remembrances which she received.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Foster Aluffi motored to Maquoketa Sunday afternoon to call on Mrs. H. E. Strain. Mr. Strain passed away last Saturday. The funeral was held Tuesday.

Mrs. Strain, as was her husband, is a member of the Argo church.

**LeClaire**

By

**Mrs. Elmer Hussett**  
Phone LeClaire 2201

LeClaire

The Grit Club held a card party at the Legion Hall Thursday afternoon. Euchre, 500 and Bunco were played. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Cora Holden, Emma Rutherford, Grace VanDuzen, Lou Kinker, Hazel Blackman, Ethel Huettman, Mrs. Hoots, Ada Motte, George Heldt and Mr. Rutherford. The next hostess for the Grit Club will be Mrs. George Heldt on October 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bucks of Princeton, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyers of Bremerton, Wash., and Mrs. Hannah Rath of Davenport were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Heldt on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Eleanor Jacobs and son of Davenport were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Anna Lippold on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter of Charlotte, Ia., were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Suiter. Mrs. Carter is a sister of Mrs. Suiter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan McCauley and family of Bremerton, Wash., have moved into the Eva Nesbitt apartment.

Betty Johnson of Bremerton, Wash., daughter of Mrs. Myrtle McCauley is visiting in town. Marilyn Kensinger of Keithsburg, Ill., is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Myrtle McCauley.

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Mrs. Olive Ceroc a former resident of LeClaire is living at the home of Mrs. Lizzie Martin.

Mrs. Edith Fawcett, mother of Mrs. W. C. Stuff underwent surgery at Iowa City on Monday.

The 500 Club met at the home of Mrs. Vern Crawford Tuesday evening. Prizes went to Mrs. Howard Kruse, Mrs. Pat Dittmer, Mrs. Don Youngers and Mrs. Gordon Peio.

Mrs. Ed Suiter and Mrs. Robert McKnight left Wednesday for New Haven, Conn., to visit an aunt and cousin, Mrs. Minnie Brown and daughter.

Mr. ad Mrs. Jerry McLaughlin of Cedar Rapids, Dick Magnuson and Florence Kapinski of Bettendorf were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hussett. Mrs. McLaughlin and Dick were former neighbors of the Hussett family.

Mrs. Joe Lind and daughters, Dorothy and Karen, of Clinton were visitors at the Leonard Johnson home on Sunday. The Lind's formerly lived in LeClaire.

Mrs. James Fuller and son and Mrs. Mabel Baker of Davenport visited with Mrs. Ralph White last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ryner of Barrington, Ill., were visitors at the DeWitt Bragonier home. There was a family supper later at the home of Herman Kroger. Mrs. Ryner is an aunt of Mrs. Bragonier.

Mrs. Hannah Rath of Davenport was a dinner guest at the Mrs. Anna Lippold home. Mrs. Margaret Fecker and Mr. and Mrs. George Heldt were also dinner guests of Mrs. Lippold.

Mr. and Mrs. David Carlson of Carbon Cliff and the Camp Mansauer for Boy Scouts were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ruby Stuff.

The Presbytery of Iowa City, composed of some 40 Churches met in its regular fall session on Tuesday, Sept. 28, at LeClaire with Rev. W. J. Grosheim of Washington as Moderator. Highlight of the day were - An address by Lt. Hailston, Chaplain U. S. N. Great Lakes, Ill., speaking on the Program and work of the Chaplains Corps in the Armed Services and the Evening Program, at which time Mr. Robert Conklin, a member of the LeClaire Church and a stu-

dent at Dubuque University was received under care of Presbytery for preparation for the Ministry.

The evening speaker was Rev. W. J. Lyon recently returned from Korea where he spent 25 years as Missionary of the Presbyterian Church.

Morning devotions were led by Rev. Mr. Guldner, Pastor of the Federated Church of Oxford.

The Noon luncheon and evening meal was served by the Ladies of the LeClaire Church.

**McCausland**

By

**Miss Anna McKinney**  
McCausland Post Office

Mrs. Fay Thompson celebrated her birthday Friday by entertaining a group of friends in her home. 500 and Bunco were played with high scores being won by Mrs. Clara Erps, Mrs. Inez Dussar and Mrs. Henry Hinrichs. Bunco awards went to Mrs. Walter Helble and Mrs. Otto Wilhelm. Mrs. Ivan Mowat received the all out prize.

There was a good turn-out to hear Missionary Gus Jacobsen talk on Life and Gospel work in Africa at the church Sunday evening. At the close of the evening refreshments were served. The group

presenting the entertainment were weekend guests of Mrs. Harry Schneekloth.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fletcher are redecorating their home. The kitchen is being enlarged to include a breakfast nook. A new heating system and bath are being installed.

Mrs. Bernice Morris has returned from Clinton where she stayed at the home of her brother Ray Schneekloth while Mrs. Schneekloth was in Rochester caring for her mother Mrs. Anna Greve, a patient at St. Marys hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Maynard are attending the Cattle Congress in Waterloo.

Bill Coe son of Mrs. Mary Coe former residents of McCausland now living at Hesperia, Calif., visited several days with Mr. and Mrs. Guy McCausland.

Mrs. Martha Doherty returned home Saturday from a weeks visit with relatives in Davenport. She also attended the funeral of Boy Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rasche entertained a party of friends Sunday evening at Fairyland Park the occasion being Mr. Rasche's birthday.

The Feast and Fun Club will meet Tuesday evening in the church basement. They have invited the Young Married Folks of Summit Church as guests.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1954  
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THE LE CLAIRE TOWNSHIP SCHOOL BOARD WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE ARGO SCHOOL (DISTRICT NO. 4), ONE HALF MILE NORTH OF ARGO, IOWA, THE FOLLOWING:

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- 1 - 500 gallon Oil Storage Tank
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- 2 - School Pianos
- Miscellaneous Items

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**Library Schedule**

PRINCETON — Mrs. Ray Davis, librarian, reports that the Princeton Library will not be open Friday evening, December 24.

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**Free Movie By Legion**

American Legion Auxiliary, Buffalo Bill Post No. 347, will show a free Christmas movie for children Tuesday, December 21, at 7 p. m. at the Legion Hall in LeClaire.

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Elaine Schulz  
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Princeton  
Basketball team 1946-47  
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## Girl Scouts Observed Anniversary

### NEW CHEVROLET SHOWING THURSDAY

PRINCETON — On Thursday, October 28, even as you read this item, the new Chevrolet line will be on display at Lund's Garage in Princeton.

You'll have to see for yourself what the 1955 models look like, because we weren't able to find out for you.

It was hoped to obtain a picture, but there were none available. There weren't any preview peeks, either. Our curiosity about where the cars were hidden was met with a big, friendly smile — but no reply.

Even the back-shop boys wouldn't give with any information, except to say they would be up bright and early Thursday morning to prepare the six-cylinder and V-8 models for the all day showing.

This much we did find out for you; Hilding Lund reports that they are serving coffee and donuts. There will also be entertainment in the evening.

### Edward S. Holst Buried Saturday

Edward S. Holst, 83, of Davenport, life long resident of Scott county and for many years a farmer west of Princeton, died at 3:05 p.m. Wednesday, October 20.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 Saturday in the McGinnis funeral home with the Rev. Stanley Eckland of St Paul's Lutheran Church officiating. Soloist was Ralph De Reus. Bearers were five nephews; Richard Renihan, Wesley Schmalz, Raymond Herman, Glen Suiter, LeRoy Holst and a former Princeton neighbor, George Rasche. Burial was in Pine Hill cemetery.

Mr. Holst was born November, 1870 in Princeton, the son of Detlef and Mollie Holst. He married Carrie I. Helble April 22, 1903, in Davenport.

Surviving in addition to his wife are three daughters, Mrs. E. W. C. (Birdie) Gierke, Mrs. H. D. (Dorothy) Clemmons, Mrs. R. Foster (Berniece) Nolan all of Davenport; three sons, Harry E. of Stockton, Earl J. and Vernon L. both of Davenport; a brother, David of Princeton; three sisters, Mrs. Alvina Schmalz of Princeton, Mrs. Lillie Renihan and Mrs. Marie Suiter of Davenport. Twelve grandchildren and four great grandchildren, also survive.

### Elmer Schwanz's Mother Buried

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schwanz and daughter, Algene, of LeClaire have returned from St Paul, Minn., where they attended the funeral of Mr. Schwanz's mother. Their son, Elwyn, a student at Wentworth Academy, Lexington, Mo., joined them in St Paul and returned with the family to LeClaire before returning to school. Mr. Schwanz's mother was sixty-six and had been ill for two years.

### Tom O'Toole's Sister Died

Stella Ann O'Toole passed away October 20 at an Ottumwa hospital. She was 67 years old and a housekeeper for Father Geers at Lovilia, Iowa. Miss O'Toole was the sister of Tom O'Toole of Princeton.



Special recognition was given to those who have been active in Princeton's Girl Scout work for all of the six years. Receiving the special tribute were (seated, left to right) Sheryl Huston, Leila Long, Sandra Fischlein, Kay Long and Lois Mess, (standing, left to

right) Mina Huston, Clodene Brunson, Lois Shaw, Mary Ney, Bobbie Pain, Marion Mienert, Leatha Fickel and Sally Domer. Absent from the picture are Johanna Fawcett, Jane Fawcett, Janice McCollum and Mabel Brunson. (Picture courtesy of Leatha Fickel.)

## Election — November 2

### AREA POLLING PLACES

Tuesday, November 2, is election day—the day in which we all have the opportunity and duty to decide who will be our public officials.

Polls open at 8 a.m. and close at 8 p.m.

Polling places are located as follows:

Butler Township  
Town Hall, McCausland

LeClaire Township  
Town Hall, LeClaire

Lincoln Township  
School No. 4, Sec. 16

Princeton Township  
Town Hall, Princeton

Sheridan Township  
Turner Hall, Bridgeman

Winfield Township  
Fire Station, Long Grove

County Auditor, W. F. Voss,

has announced that the following will serve as election officials:

Butler Township — Three

judges; Ernest Ehlers, William

Holst and Hugo Rasche.

LeClaire Township — Judges;

James Holst, Gust Puck and

Chester A. Martin; Clerks,

Claude C. Brown and Regina

Cassilly.

Lincoln Township — Three

judges; Harold E. Wilson, B. S.

Bonnell and Clarence Claussen.

Princeton Township — Judges;

Elmer O. Gast, R. M. Helble

and Mrs. Alfred Dreschler;

Clerks, Wesley C. Schmalz

and Irma Litscher.

### REBEKAH'S TO PRESENT "FLYING HIGH" - COMEDY

PRINCETON — The Echo Rebekah Lodge has made several changes in their public entertainment scheduled for November 5th and 6th.

The date remains the same — Friday and Saturday, November 5 and 6 at Community Hall.

"Flying High," a famous three-act comedy will be presented by an all-local cast. The locale of the play is a small hotel with an array of "characters."

The evenings entertainment will open with a salute to the Armed Forces by local Boy Scouts.

A Kiddie Circus by Princeton grade pupils will add much to the two-nite showings.

A Little King and Queen will be crowned Saturday nite.

### COUNTY CANDIDATES

Candidates for the various county offices are listed on the ballot, as follows:

County Auditor—  
W. F. Voss (Rep.)

Arthur R. Citt (Dem.)

County Treasurer—  
Ted G. Goodwin (Rep.)

August Richter (Dem.)

Clerk of Dist. Court—  
Elmer Jens (Rep.)

Unopposed

Sheriff—  
C. H. Wildman (Rep.)

Unopposed

Recorder of Deeds—  
Clarence E. Hagen (Rep.)

Paul Gillooly (Dem.)

County Attorney—  
Charles G. Rehling (Rep.)

Walter E. Kroeger (Dem.)

Coroner—  
Kenneth Froeschle (Rep.)

Herbert A. Jacobs, Jr. (Dem.)

County Supervisors—  
(1955 Term) Vote for two)

Henry C. Ehlers (Rep.)

Charles K. Pearl (Rep.)

John K. Fel (Dem.)

T. A. Sheridan (Dem.)

County Supervisors—  
(1956 Term) Vote for two)

Richard D. Englehart (Rep.)

Warren G. Maxwell (Rep.)

Edward R. Kerr (Dem.)

William C. Krambeck (Dem.)

Trustees—County Public—  
Hospital (Vote for two)

No candidates

### Miscellaneous Shower

The Willing Workers Class of the Argo Church entertained at a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. Earl Bensen last Saturday for Mrs. Dick Hamilton. There were twenty-seven adults and four children present. Mrs. Hamilton received many nice gifts for her new home.

All children in the contest are to be introduced on both nites. Mothers are invited to enter their children off pre-school age. Pictures will be displayed in store windows.

Grace Williams is in Princeton to direct the play.

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### SIXTH YEAR CELEBRATED

PRINCETON — One hundred thirty family members of Girl Scouts attended the Sixth Anniversary dinner Wednesday evening in the Community Hall.

A large number of merit badges were presented by Leatha Fickel and Sally Domer.

Cards of Appreciation were presented to Mina Huston, Johanna Fawcett and Mabel Brunson, who have been in charge of Troop 81. This troop is now disbanding because the member girls have reached the maximum age limit.

Four girls received their first Brownie pins. Two Brownies received "flyups," or promotions to a Scout Troop. The new Brownies are; Ann Suiter, Nancy Purington, Mary Volrath and Sandra McMeekin. Sue McFate and Sandra Long received "flyups."

There are three active troops which meet each week. They are the Brownies under the direction of Leatha Fickel and Helen Shaw; Troop 140 led by Mrs. Les Long and Leatha Fickel and Troop 88 led by Mrs. Dale Domer and Mrs. Art McCollam.

Special recognition was given to those who have been in the work all of the six years. They are Mina Huston as leader of Troop 81 and committee women, Johanna Fawcett and Mabel Brunson. The girls are Clodene Brunson, Cheryl Huston, Martha Scharff, Lois Shaw, Leila Long, Janice McCollam, Jane Fawcett and Sandra Fischlein. The girls who started as Brownies, six years ago, are; Mary Ney, Marion Mienert, Kay Long, Lois Mess and Bobbi Pain. Helen Shaw and Leatha Fickel have completed six years with the Brownies and Sally Domer has served a similar length of time with two groups.

Sixty-six merit badges were presented by Leatha Fickel to members of Troop 140. Recipients were; (several received numerous badges) Mary Ney, Marion Mienert, Bobbie Pain, Kay Long, Connie Klemme, Phyllis McCollam, Lois Mess, Francis Tague and Dixie Damon.

Mrs. Domer presented merit badges to Troop 88, as follows; Sandra Domer, Joyce McAllister, Wanda Guthard, Gail Mess, Rita Santee, Joan Santee, Lynn Damon, Sharon Allen, Lyne Evans, Charlotte Hill and Janet Buckley.

Mary Rose from the Davenport office of Girl Scouts attended and presented cards of appreciation, for Day Camp work to; Leatha Fickel, Johanna Fawcett, Mina Huston, Evelyn Long, Jerry McCollam, Jeanette Hamilton, Mrs. True McAllister and Mrs. Marvin Guthard.

### HUNTED IN DAKOTA

Six men from Princeton hunted pheasants during the past few days in South Dakota.

Al Grossz flew and was accompanied by Bob and Dick Mess. Dale Domer, Fin Gunn and Kenny Adams traveled by auto.

Domer Gunn and Adams returned Tuesday and Al and his two companions "buzzed-in" Wednesday noon.

They reported that they all got their limit.

There was a large attendance at the public auction at the Argo school on Saturday.

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## THINK IT OVER

By J. C. M.

### NOVEMBER 2 IS THE DAY!

On November 2, election day, we all have an opportunity to select the people who will manage our township, county and state affairs.

It is your duty to vote — how you vote is your decision, but by all means cast your ballot.

Surely the affairs of our county and state are sufficiently important for you to take the few minutes required to exercise your rights as a citizen.

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

October 28, Thursday — Grit Club public card party, LeClaire Legion Hall.

NOVEMBER 2, TUESDAY — ELECTION DAY — BE SURE TO VOTE!

November 4, Thursday — LeClaire Presbyterian Church, smorgasbord supper.

November 5 - 6, Friday and Saturday — Echo Rebekah Lodge, comedy "Flying High," at Princeton Community Hall.

November 12, Friday — Princeton Fire Department, Annual Benefit Dance at Princeton Community Hall. . . .

November 20, Saturday — Summit Presbyterian Church. God's acre sale at 1 p.m.

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## COFFEE TIME

by  
Leona Farley

### COOK of the WEEK

CHRISTINE SHUGARS

Women—that being what we are—can only go so long without talking about "What have I got to wear?". So let me pour you a cup of coffee and this week instead of just talking clothes, let's discuss the accessories needed for our wardrobe.

In fact, one of the most important things to remember about buying clothes is the accessories you have or will need. As most of you know, one good dress, a suit or several skirts and blouses with a variety of scarfs, hankies, flowers, pins and necklaces can make them serve well for many different occasions. Thus this medium, also the cost of being well dressed can be kept to a minimum—which interests all of us.

Stripe and plaids cuffs and ascots, and I have even seen stripe and plaid gloves to match, have become most popular with a solid-colored suit or dress. In reverse, the plain colors, and white in particular, accessories perk up a stripe, plaid or figured costume. If you sew, many of your scarfs, hankies, cuffs, collars and ascots can be made from left-over pieces, thus really cutting the cost.

Of all accessories, I think that flowers, pins, necklaces and earrings are the most difficult to choose and wear as it is easy to get that cluttered or over-done look. If you can afford only one or two matching pins, earrings and necklaces, the best bet is not to buy ones that are too ornate. Keep simplicity of design in mind.

So gals, with the selection of accessories that the stores carry these days and the variety of colors, let your imagination go, you will not find your wardrobe perked up but your spirits as well. Happy hunting!

Remember, as a Frenchman once said many, many years ago: "There are no ugly women; there are only women who do not know how to look pretty."

In connection with the above subject, I remember reading a little poem written by a man (his name escapes me) that went something like this:

Perk hats and chic dresses

Daffynition — Experience that quality that makes you hit a bottle of catsup on the bottom with a bit of caution.

Have you ever noticed that some of the most beautiful people in the world have the homeliest facts?

Also have you noticed that there is gold — the burnished kind — in autumn sunshine.

Thought For The Week: — Behind an able man there are always other able men. Chintse proverb.

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LeClaire

By  
Mrs. Elmer Hussett

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson of Clinton are parents of a baby girl. Mrs. Anderson was formerly Nelda Norton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Eads of Burlington are parents of a baby boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Franklin of Menlo, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Will Lowry of St Paul, Minn., were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Felt and Mr. and Mrs. Mel Leuth. Mrs. Franklin and Mrs. Lowry are sisters of Mrs. Felt.

Mrs. R. B. Hobart of Des Moines was a weekend guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. S. Felt.

Ruth Barney spent the week at the home of her parents. She will be stationed at Great Lakes, Ill.

Elmer Greenlee was in the hospital from Friday until Wednesday of last week.

Axel Ahlgren was also in the hospital for a few days.

Mrs. Mary Suter and Eloise McKnight returned home a week ago Tuesday, after a two-weeks visit with Minnie Brown and her daughter in New Haven, Conn.

Ferdinand Meyer has been confined to his home the past week.

The Willing Workers held an all-day meeting at the Church on Friday with eighteen members attending. The time was spent sewing and planning for the supper to be held November 4. Devotions were given by Mrs. Wilma Grubb. Hostesses were Mrs. Ruth Brown and Mrs. Elda Marie Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Phillips of Chicago were in LeClaire for several days for the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Clyde Phillips.

There will be a public card party at the Legion Hall on October 28. Mrs. Margaret Fecker to be the hostess.

### Argo

By  
Mrs. Laura Gast

Nine of the young people and their sponsors from the Argo Church attended the banquet at Gloria Dei Church in Rock Island.

On Monday evening, November 1st, the Rock Island church Youth Skating party will be at the Trio from 7 to 10.

Mr. Roy Fletcher of Des Moines and his mother, Mrs. John L. Fletcher of Argo, left Wednesday morning for Valencia, Penna., where they will spend several days with Mr. Fletcher's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Nicholas. Mrs. Roy Fletcher has been in Pennsylvania for the past three weeks and will return home with them.

LeClaire 4-H boys entertained the 4-H girls Friday evening with a party at the home of Ronnie Paaske. They enjoyed a hay ride and wiener roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carner, Jr. are the parents of a baby boy born last Wednesday in St Lukes hospital. The name is Gregory Dean. Bill is stationed in Korea.

The Gleaners Class of the Argo Church held their monthly meeting Thursday, October 28, in the home of Mrs. Bertha Auliff. Leader Laura Gast.

Loyal Mothers met Wednesday with Mrs. D. T. Wilson in Davenport. Leader was Mrs. Belle Wilson.

The Junior Choir meets in the W. J. Carner home Thursday evening from 7 to 9 p.m.

On Friday evening, November 5, there will be a Congregational pot luck supper in the church basement. Those having birthdays in November or December will be seated at a special table.

Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Hamilton attended a Gideon meeting in Burlington on Sunday.

Mrs. Edgar Holden went to Washington, Ia., Tuesday to spend a week with her mother-in-law, Mrs. Glenn Holden.



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Princeton Basketball Team 1946-  
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Walter Anderson, Epp Michel,  
Verne Hollister, Gary Rhuberg,  
Homer Johnson, Jim Billups,  
Roger Havenhill, Sam Havenhill



Back Row

1. Roger Havenhill
- 2.
- 3 Sam Havenhill
- 4 John Boesch
- 5 Homer Johnson
- 6 Gary Rhulberg
- 7 LaVerne Hollister
- 8 Sam Fletcher
- 9 Melvin Dodds
10. Walter Anderson

Back View

- 1 Amelia Hirsl
- 2 ~~Jim~~ Jim Hirsl
- 3 Tom Rhulberg
- 4 Harold Woerner
- 5 Mill "
- 6 Evelyn Michl

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## Wire Strung Across Mississippi River

KING AND QUEEN CROWNED AT WINTER KARNAVAL



KING — MICHAEL HIRL



QUEEN — MARY VOLRATH

PRINCETON — Three hundred or more persons crowded into Princeton's halls and rooms of education Friday evening for the Winter Karnival sponsored by the Parent Teachers Association.

Differing greatly in type from other years annual fund raisings, the Karnival proved entertaining and profitable. The entertainment presented by pupils of the various grades indicated considerable preparation on the part of teachers and pupils.

Highlight of the evening was the crowning of the King and Queen, which was based on a penny-a-vote contest for pupils of the first and second grades.

King Michael Hirl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hirl, led the boys field of contenders by some 1400 votes ahead of the next highest entrant. In addition to a regal crown, his majesty was presented a tractor set.

Queen Mary Volrath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Volrath, won her honors in a much closer voting. She was royally crowned and presented a vanity kit.

Introducing the King and Queen was cleverly done. The curtains parted to reveal two attractively decorated boxes. At cue-word from the master of ceremony, the lids sprang open and up popped the King and Queen — royal jack-in-the-boxes.

The Cake Walk, with a vast array of beautifully decorated

cakes, attracted so much attention that the committee had difficulty in arranging an opportunity for all to participate. In fact, the event ended with pies to satisfy the eagerness of the crowd.

*Anything for a good cause* — Al Evans added sparkle to the proceedings — and money to the cash register, when in true carnival style, he allowed bean bags to be thrown at his head. No record on the number of hits.

Fellowship in its true form abounded aplenty around tables provided in the cafe room for enjoying sandwiches, pie and coffee.

In utter amazement, wide-eyed youngsters left the mystic presence of the fortune teller and her crystal ball. Young minds retained glowing predictions, uttered by a capable teller.

A touch of glamour, both feminine and masculine appeared as evidence of a well patronized beauty shoppe. For the youngsters it was a thrill of thrills — even many of the much older boys, men to be exact, found sufficient courage to emerge with a debatable affect.

Door prizes and winners are too numerous to mention. If you missed the Karnival, don't pass up the next one, if the group makes it an annual event.

For the benefit of pupils, who were providing entertainment Friday night, the film cartoons were shown for them on Saturday evening.

### FORMER PRINCETON PASTOR DIES

Funeral services for the Rev. Frederick E. Motzkus of Hebron, Ill., former pastor of the Princeton Zion Lutheran Church, will be held at 1:30 Wednesday in Hebron.

Rev. Motzkus, 75, died suddenly Sunday at the wheel of his car as he and his wife planned to visit his brother.

He had preached the morning sermon and was apparently in good health.

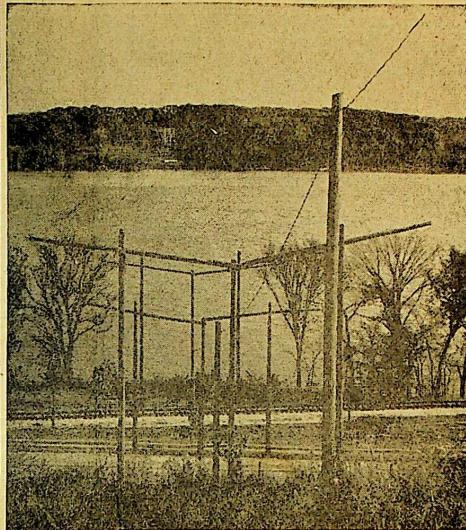
He had been pastor there since leaving here about two years ago after 7 years in this church. He was a member of the Princeton Board of Education while here. His church had

Eighteen Church Workers of the Presbyterian church met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Charles Helble with Mrs. Lloyd Tague assisting. The group took a thank offering and voted \$100. to the Benevolence fund.

The following nominating committee was appointed; Mildred Carter, Daisy Davis and Violet Suiter. December hostesses will be Mrs. Ollie Suiter and Mrs. Roy Holst.

just completed an extensive remodeling program.

Survivors besides his wife are two daughters, Mrs. Anton (Halcyone) Toft of North Park, Ill., and Mrs. Stanley (Elaine) Anderson of Rockford, Ill. and several grandchildren.



The above pole arrangement south of Princeton provided protection for highway and railroad traffic during stringing operation.

### I AM THANKFUL

I am thankful, Lord, to Thee,  
For this land of Liberty;  
For the beauty of her hills,  
For her men of many skills.  
I am thankful, Lord, for Thee  
For Thy grace to set men free  
For the promise of Thy power,  
For Thy presence every hour.  
I am thankful, Lord, today,  
For Thy guidance on life's  
way,  
For the good things yet to be  
As they come, dear Lord,  
from Thee.  
May I ever thankful live,  
Unto others may I give  
That which Thou hast given me  
Faith and Hope and Charity.

—R. E. McClure

### LE CLAIRE 'HIGH' TEAMS WIN AND LOST

LE CLAIRE — Friday night LeClair's boys and girls basketball teams met Baldwin on the Baldwin floor. The boys marked up a 37 to 32 win while the girls lost a close-finish 38 to 37.

Monday the tables were turned at Elvira. The girl's brought home a 47 to 28 victory as the boy's went down to the tally of 67 to 34.

### Wrestling Saturday Nite

PRINCETON — On Friday night, November 27, wrestling will be the big attraction at Princeton Community Hall.

### Mr. and Mrs. Nick Siem Celebrate 45th Wedding Anniversary



PRINCETON — Mr. and Mrs. Nick Siem will be married forty-five years on Wednesday, November 24. In honor of the occasion, a dinner for forty members of the immediate family was held Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Petersen, near Dixon.

Members of the Reese, Sothman and Siem families honored the couple Wednesday night at a party in Community hall.

Marie Reese and Nick Siem, both born in Holstein, Germany, were married by the Rev. Mr. Greif in Davenport.

The couple farmed near Dixon, Montpelier and New Liberty before coming to Princeton, nearly 25 years ago.

They are the parents of the following children; Mrs. Lambert (Dora) Storjohann of Princeton; Mrs. Louis (Anne) Fisher of Davenport; Mrs. Bruce (Vernie) Cole of Princeton; Mrs. Leonard Petersen of Dixon; Harold and Ernest of Princeton and Jurgen Reese of Dixon, who was reared by the family. There are twenty-three grandchildren.

### IMPROVES ILLINOIS SERVICE

Work crews of the Iowa Illinois Gas and Electric Co. are completing their project of stringing service conductors across the Mississippi river, between Princeton and Le-Claire.

Early in the summer a private contractor erected the steel towers — one south of Princeton on Route 67 and the other across the river on the Illinois side.

The company workmen began preliminary work ten days ago and placed several poles on the east side of the highway to keep the stringing and service cables from sagging onto the highway, railroad tracks, high voltage power line and telephone circuits.

To keep the conductors from becoming wet a stringing-cable was first put across the river by use of boats. The cable then served as a carrier or guide in stringing the actual conductors between the towers.

A near mishap occurred while the men were putting the wire line across the river. The cable parted and fell on a high voltage line and the railroad tracks. Fortunately, workmen did not come into contact with the "shorted" lines.

The supporting towers are 265 feet high. On the Iowa side of the river, the tower is situated on a hill on the Ed. Peitscher farm. At night, the red, aircraft warning lights are visible for miles in all directions at ground levels.

Three of the wires across the river will be actual conductors and will be 85 feet above high water mark at their lowest point. Above these wires will be two "shield wires" to provide protection from lightning.

The insulators for the new circuit will be capable of accommodating a 69,000 volt line if power demands in the area increases the requirements to that extent.

Originating at the substation, west of Princeton on county road H, the line up to the towers is typically built for overland service.

When finished the 13,000 volt circuit across the river will complete a 3½ mile connection between the substation and the town of Cordova. The circuit, costing approximately \$150,000, will provide a second source of power for upper Rock Island county.

### LeClaire P. T. A. Votes Milk Program

LECLAIRE — The LeClaire P. T. A. met Thursday evening at the school house with Mrs. Wm. Buchheit presiding.

The members voted in favor of a free milk program for the two kindergarten classes, and the first three grades. These children will receive a ½ pint of milk once a day. The milk will be paid for by the P. T. A.

Mrs. Zuber, field representative for the Farm Bureau extension program spoke on the topic, "Understanding our Teenagers".

Stanley Benson was also featured on the program with two accordian solos.

The next meeting will be December 16 at 2 p.m. This will be in the form of a Christmas party with a 50¢ gift exchange.

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## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

If you want your membership and public events listed in the Community Calendar please mail us a card or telephone Princeton 78. It's open to all.

November 30, Tuesday —

Princeton Township Farm Bureau women, 10:30 a.m., home of Mrs. Warren Hamilton.

Echo Rebekah Lodge, oyster supper at 6 p.m. I. O. O. F. Hall.

December 2, Thursday — Grit Club card party in afternoon at the hall.

December 7, Tuesday — LeClaire Woman's Club, regular meeting, Presbyterian church annex.

December 8, Wednesday — Princeton township Farm Bureau women annual Christmas party, home of Martha Holst.

## SISTERS UNITED —

By Bessie Sierk

Mrs. Frank Peitscher of Princeton recently had the pleasure of assisting and seeing the uniting of two sisters. The sisters had not known each other previously.

About eight years ago, Delores Tucker resided with the Peitschers. She was placed by the Women's Industrial Relief Corp in Davenport. A few years before, Delores' mother had given a baby girl for adoption, but the older sister did not have knowledge of that fact. The younger girl was adopted by a Waite family and she was told that she had an older sister.

Recently, Mrs. Peitscher was asked if she knew where Delores might be living at the present time. Having maintained

December 10, Friday — Princeton Echo Rebekah Lodge Christmas party and gift exchange, pot luck supper at 6 p.m. IOOF Hall.

December 15, Wednesday — LeClaire township Farm Bureau women, Christmas party and noon pot luck dinner, home of Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale.

December 16, Thursday — LeClaire P. T. A., regular meeting.

December 17, Friday — LeClaire Presbyterian Church Willing Workers, regular meeting.

December 21, Tuesday — Princeton P. T. A. regular evening meeting.

December 22, Wednesday — Princeton Presbyterian Sunday School annual Christmas program and gift exchange.

December 23, Thursday — Cody Elementary School, Christmas program, 7:30 p.m.

ed a close-contact with the girl, Mrs. Peitscher was able to supply the desired information. She also advised Delores that they had a big surprise for her.

You can imagine the happiness when the two girls met for the first time.

Delores is married and lives near Colfax and has a small daughter, Julie. After the joyous meeting Delores and her daughter returned home with the Peitschers for a week-long visit.

The two sisters resemble each other so much that they would be mistaken for each other.

Jackie, the younger sister, had been in Davenport all of these years. Even though the girls had lived so close-by, they did not know about each other.

The passenger train was rerouted from Davenport to Savanna via the lines Illinois trackage.

Another long Milwaukee freight train and a Rock Island extra were at Bettendorf waiting to meet the delayed train. The Milwaukee's train was ordered back to Davenport to be rerouted.

The southbound morning Burlington passenger train was detoured between Clinton and Davenport via the Q's tracks in side track.

Apparently, as the Milwaukee train's engine neared the Rock cut, a defective draw-bar on the 88th car from the head-end, broke and dropped between the rails derailing the following car, which was a box car loaded with hay. The train stopped in less than a hundred feet.

The forward wheels were knocked from under the car and the other set of wheels were raised from the rails as the loaded car, headed for the ditch, tipped at an acute angle in the inky darkness about a mile north of town.

To expedite rerailing the car a wrecking crew and "the big hook" were dispatched by the Rock Island Lines from Silvis.

In the meantime agents and operators were hurriedly called to duty and all other trains were stopped.

## TRAIN DERAILLED —

PRINCETON — All trains were moving on schedule during the early morning hours of Friday morning — then about 2:40 a.m. it happened.

A southbound Milwaukee Road freight train of 115 cars was approaching Princeton and was moving slowly to meet an extra C B & Q freight train which was standing on the side track.

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# COFFEE TIME

by

Leona Farley

## COOK of the WEEK

Hello once again — how nice of you that you found time to have a visit with me during such a busy week. The coffee pot just started to perk, so let's see what we can find of interest to talk about this week.

Did you get out your best linens for your Thanksgiving guests and found that they were slightly yellow? These can be bleached by letting them soak in buttermilk for two or three days.

Every week seems to be designated in honor of some thing or somebody. I think an appropriate title for the week after Thanksgiving would be Hash Week.

A young mother thought her young son may be frightened during a bad electrical storm so she tiptoed into his room to comfort him. The boy opened his eyes and murmured, "What's Daddy doing with the television set now?"

Need a new complexion for the holidays coming up? Here is a tip I heard recently: A homemade massage cream that is very effective for rough skin may be made of thick soapsuds to which a bit of salad oil is added. It helps smooth the skin and the massaging you do will give a rosy glow to your complexion.

Heard from my 'ol timer friend again. He says his wife is just like a brook — forever babbling.

The light texture of angel food and sponge cake depends on the proportion of egg white to other ingredients. Measuring or weighing egg whites gives more accurate results since eggs vary in size. A successful measure for angel food is one cup of egg white for each cup of flour.

DAFFYNITION — Gentleman farmer — a man with more hay in the bank than in the barn.

To keep wicker furniture from turning yellow, scrub it with a stiff brush moistened with warm salt water.

Stale, soft chunks of bread rubbed over wallpaper in even strokes will remove spots, even fingermarks.

TELLING is helping to know, TEACHING is helping to know, and grow; TRAINING is helping to know, and grow and do.

To give a new flavor to dried prunes, add a few whole cloves while they are cooking, or cook them in grape juice.

Thought for the week:

Life is not so short but that there is always time enough for courtesy. — Emerson

## DORA STORJAHANN

I am happy to pass along to you this week some of the favorite recipes that the family of Mrs. Dora (Lambert) Storjahn find quite delicious. Dora truly enjoys cooking and baking — and her family, which includes: Mary Ann, who works in Davenport; Richard of Parker, S. D., who plans on spending Thanksgiving at home; Tina, a beauty parlor in McCausland; Nickie is a freshman at DeWitt high school; and Gene and Kenneth, who are in grade school.

Altho Dora says there is never a dull moment at home, she does find time for hobbies, growing flowers and bowling and entertaining friends and relatives in their home.

Following are three of Dora's recipes.

### Oatmeal - Coconut Cookies

2 C. brown sugar  
2 eggs  
3/4 C. shortening  
1/2 t. salt  
2 C. oatmeal  
2 C. flour  
1 C. coconut  
1/2 t. soda  
1 t. baking powder

Cream shortening and sugar.

Add eggs and beat well. Sift dry ingredients and add to creamed mixture. Then stir in oatmeal and coconut. Form into round balls and bake in a 375 degree oven for about fifteen minutes.

### MACARONI SALAD

Prepare 2 packages of lime jello as directed on package. Cool until it starts to jell, then stir in 1 C. crushed pineapple and 2 C. cooked shell macaroni. Chopped nuts may also be added, if desired. Chill until firm.

### BOSTON BROWN BREAD

1 C. white flour  
2 C. graham flour  
1 t. salt  
1/2 C. brown sugar  
1 egg  
1/4 C. molasses  
1/2 C. raisins  
2 t. soda  
2 C. buttermilk  
1/2 C. nuts

Sift white flour, salt and soda in a large bowl. Add graham flour, brown sugar, nuts and raisins. Add molasses, buttermilk to beaten egg and pour into dry ingredients. Mix thoroly. These may be baked in the large juice cans, filling to about two-thirds full. Bake 1 hour at 325 degrees.

If you want extras to put in your freezer, double the recipe.

If you want only a few drops of lemon juice, do not cut the lemon in half, simply pierce it with a fork and squeeze.

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## Princeton

By  
Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

Mrs. Kitty Curtis has returned to Rock Island after being with her daughter here since July.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey C. Miller of St. Louis spent several days with their son, Glenn and family.

Mr. Orville Stewart attended the annual Farm Bureau Federation in Des Moines Monday through Wednesday.

Mrs. Calvin Gast was hostess Wednesday to her "500" club members. Violet Suiter won high prize. Mrs. Bernard Wolfe will be December hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Heible recently returned from Des Moines and Council Bluffs where they visited relatives and friends. Charley enjoyed some pheasant hunting with a niece, Jane Carter, and other friends.

Margaret Anderson and Paul, and Ethel Oakes visited the Anderson family on Wednesday in Maple Park, Ill.

The regular meeting of the senior youth group was held in the home of Beverly and Pat Dannatt with 12 attending. Marlene Rogers was in charge of the business portion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porter visited the McClenahan family in Moline Wednesday nite.

John A. Fletcher who resides with his son Harry in Lowden suffered a stroke about two weeks ago. He is somewhat improved.

Arlene Burkamer was hostess to the regular meeting of the Merry Maids Bunco club. Winners were Evelyn Wilson, Velma Fletcher and Maxine Spinsky. Dorothy Spinsky will be hostess to the group at a Christmas party and gift exchange.

Mrs. E. A. Spurling has returned to her home in Rapids City, S. Dakota, after a week with her daughter, Mrs. George Spinsky and family.

Pfc. Russell Spinsky was guest of honor at a dinner party Friday night in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Court Spinsky with twenty-five attending. Tuesday night a dinner party was held in the Jim Lively home Thursday the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Voss and Sunday night in the Art Christner home.

Bud and Trudy Lipe from near Sabula enrolled in kindergarten and third grade of Princeton School. The family has moved into the Pain apartments.

Mrs. Lewis Clement 7th and 8th grade teacher was a patient in Jane Lamb Hospital Friday for treatment.

Pfc. Jim Hamilton, who is stationed at Ft. McClellan, Alabama, spent the week end with relatives here. His family met him in Galesburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lively and daughter Ethel Leeman are visiting relatives in California.

Jean Porter will be hostess to the Good Samaritans at the December meeting. Jean has sent a beautiful dress and dressed doll to a four year old orphan which is the project of the Good Samaritans.

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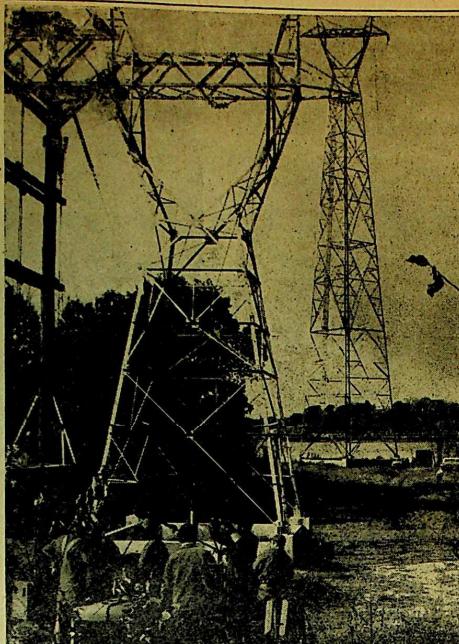
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CHILDREN WELCOME!



The "big" and "little" towers in Cordova. Workmen in foreground are pulling 2700 feet of conductor across the river.

**LeClaire**

By

**Mrs. Elmer Hussett**

Sandra Cutting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cutting was struck by a car Tuesday evening. She escaped with only scratches and bruises and her glasses were broken.

Brenda Scott is still in the hospital as a result of burns which she suffered two weeks ago. The Scott family lives in the home formerly owned by Bill Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gately and family of California are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pitsenbarger. Mrs. Gately was formerly Shirley Pitsenbarger.

Herbert Holland of Long Beach, Calif., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Grubb. Mr. Holland is a brother of Mrs. Grubb.

The Presbyterian Church held their regular Family Night supper at the church Wednesday evening. It was a pot luck supper and a program followed. These suppers are held once a month for members and friends of the church.

Officers for the coming year were elected by the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church. The officers are; Mrs. L. R. Day, president; Mrs. Lillie Mann, vice-president; Mrs. Mel Leuth, secretary and Mrs. Russell Brown, treasurer.

The Willing Workers held their regular meeting in the annex of the Presbyterian Church with 14 members present. It was voted on to pay \$150 to the treasurer of the church. A vote was also taken to give Mrs. Bennett the right to purchase a refrigerator for the kitchen. The next meeting will be held December 17. All the ladies of the church are

invited to the meeting. It will be a social get together and get acquainted meeting but no Christmas gift exchanges. Reports from the treasurer showed a profit of \$428.70 from the Smorgasbord supper. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. DeWitt Bragonier and Mrs. Elmer Greenlee.

The American Legion Auxiliary of Post 347 LeClaire will entertain at Pine Knoll Sanitarium Tuesday, November 22. Each month a Unit of County is asked to entertain at the Sanitarium.

The Grit Club held their regular meeting at the Community Hall, November 18, with 10 in attendance. The time was spent sewing carpet rags.

The Grit Club held a card party at the Community Hall November 20. The next Card party will be December 2, in the afternoon at the Hall.

The Woman's Club Chorus will sing at the meeting of the Fine Arts Club at the Y. W. C. A. The Fine Arts Club is a department of the Davenport Woman's Club.

Mrs. Alma Rusch and Mr. and Mrs. John Heldt of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lintz of Rock Island, and Mr. and Mrs. George Heldt of Le Claire were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Anna Lippold Sunday.

A dinner was given Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ehlers in Bettendorf, those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Martin, Mr. and Mrs. George Heldt and Mrs. Anna Lippold.

Mrs. Florence Munsell of Lincoln, Nebraska was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clark.

William Hanna of Pleasant Valley underwent surgery in Lincoln, Nebraska. He is improving.

## CHRISTMAS Lay-aways

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## Presbyterian Sunday School Awards Attendance Pins

PRINCETON—Mrs. Norman Shroeder, superintendent of the Presbyterian Sunday School, presented the following attendance pins during the service Sunday.

Roxy Ernsberger, 8 years, Gary Ernsberger and Norman Shroeder 6, Marlene and Darien Rogers and Richard Enyeart 5, Sheryl Huston, Nancy and Bob Elliott, Pat Dannatt and Frances Tague 4, Marion Meinert, Dwayne and Arlen Brown, and Beverly Dannatt 3, Donna Brown, R. J. Richard and Rita Holst, Weeneja Enyeart, Don Sierk, John Davis, Ray Long, Bobbi Pain, Phyllis Mc Collam, Mary Ney and Bessie Sierk and Martha Scharf 2, Ned Shroeder, Judy Mc Collam and Mrs. Roy Holst 1.

Wednesday night, December 22 has been chosen for the annual Christmas program, gift exchange and visit of Santa Claus to the Presbyterian Sunday School.

### Past, Noble Grands Met

Fourteen past Noble Grands met Wednesday nite in IOOF hall with Eunice Auliff, Lyda Gast and Edith Schmalz. Plans were made for the annual family Christmas party and gift exchange to be held Friday, December 10, in IOOF hall. Pot luck supper will be served at 6 o'clock and all lodge members and families are welcome. Prizewinners, following the business session, were: Bessie Sierk and Violet Suiter. Mrs. Alice Elliott will be the January hostess.

### Argo

By  
**Mrs. Laura Gast**

Covers were laid for twenty-six, last Sunday noon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Sidlinger in honor of their son Donald, who has been home for the past several days on furlough. He will return to duty December 4 and will be assigned overseas.

The Cody Elementary School will have their Christmas program Thursday evening, December 23 at 7:30. All of the pupils will have a part in the program.

Mrs. Alvin Bowker, chairman of the LeClaire Farm Bureau women attended the three day convention of the Farm Federation in Des Moines.

Mrs. Ben Ehrke of Davenport was a visitor in our midst a week ago Tuesday. She also

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Young Peoples Christian Life 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday: Choir practice 6:45 p.m.  
Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

### PRESBYTERIAN

Princeton

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Service 6:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:45 p.m.  
Wednesday: Prayer Service and Bible Study 7:45 p.m.  
Saturday Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.

### ZION LUTHERAN

Princeton

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

### ST JAMES CATHOLIC

Princeton

Father Tom Taylor  
Masses Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

LeClaire

Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

### GOSPEL TABERNACLE

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Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor  
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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

### ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC

LeClaire

Father Francis Duncan  
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Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

### CALvary CHAPEL

LeClaire

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Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Service 6:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:45 p.m.

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Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale  
Pastor  
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Bible School 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services 7:00 p.m.  
Midweek Services: Wednesday 8:00 p.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

## ATTEND THE CHURCH

### OF YOUR FAITH

### PRINCETON

William Watkins, father of Mrs. John R. Suiter, Jr., was taken to St. Lukes hospital in Davenport on Friday.

Mrs. Elmer Schwanz entered the hospital Wednesday for treatment of an infection on her knee.

Mrs. J. W. Hershey of Marceline, Mo., mother of Mrs. Russell Enyeart, visited at the Enyeart home last week.

Russell Enyeart spent last week in Triplett M., to be with his mother, who celebrated her 77th birthday. Russell was delayed at Davenport on his return trip Friday morning, due to the passenger train being rerouted.

Mrs. Gayle Dannatt is improving in St. Lukes hospital following surgery Monday.

We welcome photos for publication, and we will continue to make every effort to take pictures - time permitting.



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# THE COUNTRY TRAIL

## FOSTER AULIFF HAS HIGHEST CONTOUR YIELD

Winners in the 1954 Scott county contour corn yield contest have been named.

For the second year, Foster Auliff in Princeton township, has won first place. Last year, Auliff had a yield of 126.5 bushels per acre as compared to 127.2 bushels per acre this year.

Averaged, the yield of the ten participants was 114.06 bushels per acre with an average moisture content of 20.12% at the time of picking. Placing of winners in the contest are as follows:

**FIRST**  
Foster Auliff, Princeton  
122.72 bushels per acre

**SECOND**  
Alvin Kay, Eldridge  
121.99 bushels per acre

**THIRD**  
Bob Dixon  
120.96 bushels per acre

**FOURTH**  
Lester Auliff, Princeton  
120.15 bushels per acre

**FIFTH**  
Walter Keller, Eldridge  
118.14 bushels per acre

**SIXTH**  
Howard Hamilton, LeClaire  
117.68 bushels per acre

**SEVENTH**  
Charles Boeding, Princeton  
114.07 bushels per acre

**EIGHTH**  
Ray Baetke, Long Grove  
111.72 bushels per acre

**NINTH**  
Kenneth Brandt, Davenport  
106.46 bushels per acre

**TENTH**  
Harold Sawyer, Princeton  
92.15 bushels per acre

All corn was grown on hilly land, in fields planted on the contour.

## Area Women Attend Farm Federation

A three-day meeting of the Farm Bureau Federation was held in Des Moines, Monday through Wednesday of last week.

Attending from this area were; Mrs. Leward Luett, Butler township; Mrs. Alvin Bowker, LeClaire township; Barbara Mohr, Lincoln township, and Mrs. Orville Stewart, Princeton township.

**BUTLER PACEMAKERS**  
The Butler Pacemakers boys' 4-H club met at the home of Richard Helble on Tuesday.

## LeClaire Township Women Met

Thirteen LeClaire Farm Bureau Women answered roll call last Thursday in the home of Mrs. Donald Holst by suggesting a holiday center piece.

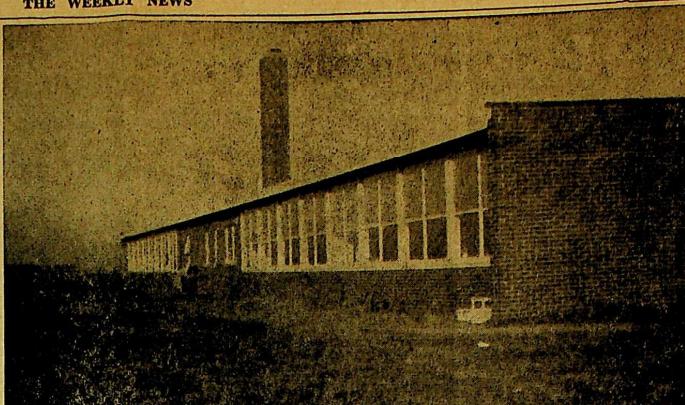
A very interesting lesson in "Problems of Teenagers" was conducted by Mrs. Lettie Zuber home economist. The next meeting will be in the form of a Christmas party held on December 15, with a pot luck dinner at noon in the home of Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale.

## Princeton Township Women Met

Mrs. Ralph Porter was hostess Wednesday for an all-day meeting of the Princeton township Farm Bureau women. Basket weaving and the making of trays were the meeting projects.

The group will meet at 10:30 a.m. November 30 in the home of Mrs. Warren Hamilton at which time a lesson on "gift wrapping" will be given.

The annual Christmas party will be held Wednesday, December 8, in the home of Martha Holst, when each will bring a gift for a patient in Pine Knoll.



Cody Elementary School—located on Territorial road between LeClaire and Argo.

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Karnival Committee, P. T. A.

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## SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

**Bettendorf High School**  
Charles "Skipper" Hamilton received a straight "A" average for the first quarter.

### Clinton High School

The following students from this area were on the Clinton high school honor roll for the first quarter; Jane Fawcett, Sharon Graham, Patricia Danner and Nancy Elliott.

### Washington Jr. High, Clinton

Bob Sierk, Anne Langey (sister of Mrs. Hood), Jerry Suiter were on Honor Roll for first quarter.

### Princeton School

Carl Brunson, who was a guest of The Daily Times last June to Estes Park, Colorado, gave an interesting report of his trip to his classmates.

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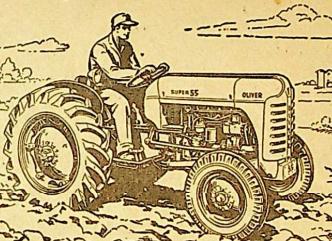
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Robert Porter. — what else can we say? (He appeared in 'Flying High,' and at the moment pictured HE was singing and posing.)

## School Activities

### PRINCETON SCHOOL

By Kay Long - Eighth Grade

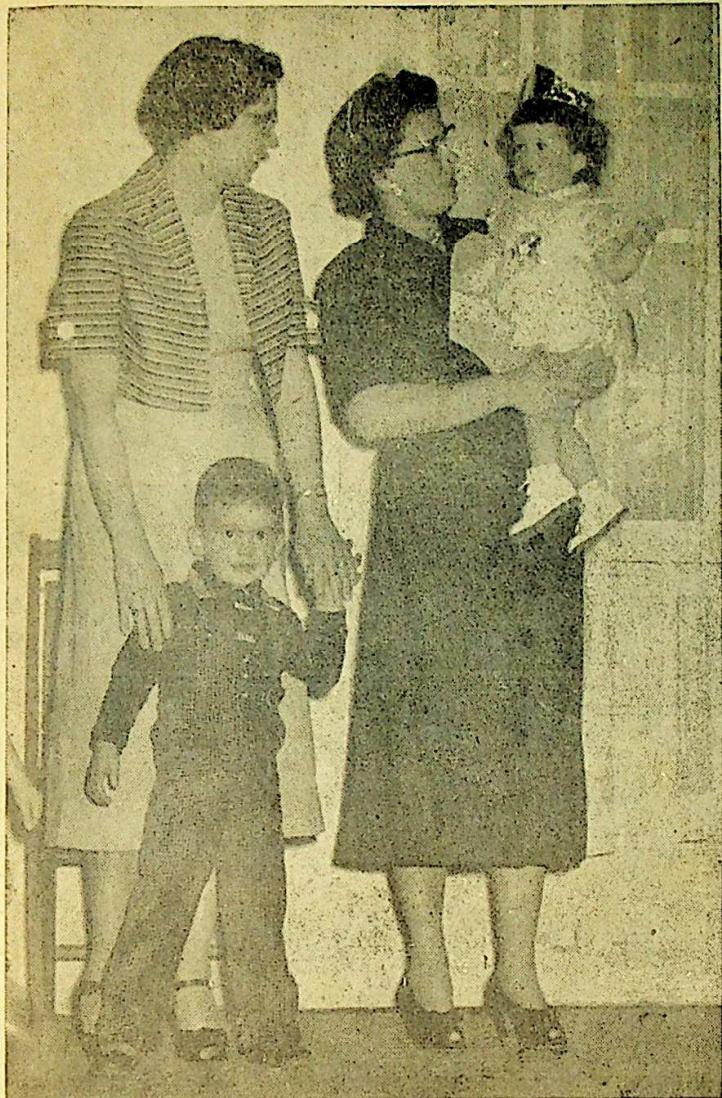
The seventh and eighth graders of this year and the eighth graders of last year took a trip to Chicago. We left the school house at 4:45 a.m. Saturday morning and arrived in Chicago at 9:15. We visited the Museum of Science and Industry, in which we went through the submarine, a new exhibit.

We ate lunch at the picnic room of the museum and then went to Shedd Aquarium, where we saw many sea fish.

We returned home about 7 p.m. Everyone enjoyed the trip and would be willing to go again.

The purpose of the trip was to give last year's eighth graders a party for helping us win the prize in Conservation, last year.

On November 16, the seventh



Little King and Queen, winners Wilson and King Mike. On the of the Rebekah's contest are right is Queen Linda Sue in shown on stage at Community the arms of her mother, Mrs. Hall. On the left, is Mrs. Ivan Howard Lively.

and eighth grades will entertain at the P. T. A. meeting.

The seventh grade pupils are getting two white rats for an experiment in health.

### LE CLAIRE HIGH SCHOOL

By Jan McCollam

We are grateful for the help Jan has given the past week in securing photos and material about LeClaire High events which are printed in this issue.

### County PTA Council Met

The county council of Parent Teachers Association held a meeting at Jefferson School, Bettendorf, Wednesday, November 3. Attending from Princeton were; Mrs. Marge Dreschler, Mrs. Evonda Enyeart and Mrs. Mildred Woomert.

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### LITTLE KING AND QUEEN

PRINCETON — Echo Rebekah lodge sponsored a pre-school children King and Queen contest in conjunction with their Friday and Saturday public entertainment in Community Hall.

Mayor Ken Purington introduced the young contestants and crowned the King and Queen.

Judging was based on a penny-a-vote system in receptacles placed in various stores. Gifts were presented to the winners and runners-up.

King—Mike Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wilson of Princeton. Runner-Up—Buddy Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brown of Princeton. Queen—Linda Sue Lively, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lively of Eldridge. Runner-up — Carolyn Ann Merkel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Merkel of Camanche.

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### LOW MOOR MAN HURT IN ACCIDENT

PRINCETON — About 12:15 Saturday morning a car driven by Chester Hodges of Low Moor crashed into the south end of the Wapsi river bridge, north of town on highway 67.

Hodges, riding alone, sustained a deep cut on his chin and a broken arm. He was rushed to a Clinton hospital by private car.

The car was headed north and veered to the left side of the road and crashed head-on into a traffic sign and bridge guard rail. The impact imbedded the sign post into the front of the car — in fact, the post remained entangled with the wreckage as Al's Garage wrecked hauled the car into Princeton.

Another motorist following the car, reported that he saw the car veer to the left side of the road and crash. The car caught fire. The other driver removed the victim from the wrecked car and summoned the Princeton fire department.

The fire was quickly extinguished and the injured man was placed in a car and taken to the hospital.

The driver was fortunate that his injuries were not far more serious. The front seat was torn loose by the force of the collision and slid forward. The steering wheel was also broken, apparently by the forward impact of the driver.

### Rebekahs Held Supper

PRINCETON — Seventy members of Echo Rebekah families enjoyed the annual oyster supper Tuesday night in IOOF Hall.

Prizewinners were Violet Suter, Elaine Stewart, Mil Holst, John Litscher, Rita Holst, Myrtle Kober, Ed Peitscher, Alvina Schmalz, Feryl Clemmons, Roy Wood and Irma Litscher.

### Mrs. Ed Schultz Gave Recital

LE CLAIRE — An organ recital was given by Mrs. Ed Schultz at the Presbyterian church in LeClaire at 4 p.m. on Sunday. A good attendance was reported.

In addition to the recital, there were readings by Mrs. Ginny Yasman and Miss Karen Richardson.

Mrs. Schultz is the organist for the Presbyterian church. She also directs the Woman's Club Chorus and teaches voice and piano students.

Following the program refreshments were served in the church annex.

### SANTA CLAUS SCHEDULE

Santa Claus will start his traditional visits in the coming week. It will be difficult to keep track of the ole' boy, but here are a couple stops on his schedule:

**Thursday, December 16 —** Don Scharff's, LeClaire, 7 to 9 p.m.

**Saturday, December 18 —** H. E. Lund Implement Co., Princeton, 7 p.m. until ?

### NEW BOOKS

Mrs. Ray Davis, librarian, reports that they have new Christmas reading material at the Princeton library.

### LE CLAIRE WOMAN BADLY INJURED

LE CLAIRE — Enroute to Alabama, Mrs. Edna Hultquist of LeClaire was seriously injured in an auto accident.

She sustained very severe facial lacerations. It is reported that the attending physician indicated that plastic surgery will be required.

Mrs. Hultquist is in fair condition at County hospital in St Louis Mo.

### Woman's Club Enjoys Musical

LE CLAIRE — A very enjoyable musical program was presented under the direction of Mrs. Ed Schultz, at the December meeting of the LeClaire Woman's Club on Tuesday.

Community singing opened the program, followed by piano duets by Margaret VanAlstine and Kathy Crawford; Sharon VanAlstine and Algene Schwanz; and Alberta Spies and Marilyn VanAlstine.

Solos were sung by Mrs. Darlene Dittmer, Mrs. Ethel Holst and Mrs. Lee Boley, after which was a double piano duet by Karen Domer and Charlotte Hollister.

Christmas carols sung in foreign languages were given by Mrs. J. W. Shugars in Spanish, Mrs. Herman Baer, Hindu, and Mrs. Vern. Crawford, Latin.

A number of songs were also sung by the Woman's club chorus. Community singing of carols completed the program, after which the group enjoyed a gift exchange and refreshments.

At a brief business meeting preceding the program, there were reports by officers and committee chairmen. Mrs. C. E. Simonton, president, gave a short talk and read a poem, "What Christmas Means to Me."

Hostesses for the day were Mesdames Kleeberg, Moffatt and Crawford. The next meeting will be in the form of a potluck supper for husbands and wives at 6 p.m. Tuesday, January 4, with Mayor Walt Beuse as guest speaker.

### Grassy Lane Club Elects Officers

Twenty-two Grassy Lane Club members and visitors attended the regular meeting Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Ella Peters in Davenport.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: Mrs. Harold Siem, president; Mrs. Tony Portz, vice-president; Mrs. Bruce Cole, secretary-treasurer.

Prizewinners were Mrs. C. B. Oakes, Mrs. Harold Anderson, Jr., Mrs. Cecil Striecher and Mrs. Lloyd Sierk. Mrs. Harold Anderson and granddaughter, Debbie, of Maple Park, Ill., were present.

A fifty-cent gift exchange will be held at the next meeting January 4 in the home of Mrs. Alvina Schmalz.

### School Program

A school program at Grassy Lane school will be held Friday evening, December 17, under the direction of the teacher, Mrs. Elva Kraft.

### World War II Mothers Met

PRINCETON — Unit 5, World War II Mothers held their December meeting Tuesday evening at the Princeton school. President Feryl Clemons presided.

A Bible was presented to the Unit by Orlo Hamilton a representative of the Gideon Society.

Members of the organization wish to express their gratitude to all who contributed so generously to the Poinsettia sale conducted in McCausland and Eldridge last Friday and in Princeton on Saturday. Taking part in the sale were; Feryl Clemons, Lena Woerner, Beulah Havenshill and Florence Little, at McCausland and Eldridge; Irene Johnson, Edna Dodds, Leone Ruhberg and Minni Kleeberg at Princeton.

As part of the business meeting the following committee chairman for 1955 were appointed: unit activities, Edna Dodds; publicity, Minni Kleeberg; community service, Beulah Havenshill; ritual, Irene Johnson; veterans hospital service, Leone Ruhberg and Christmas seals, Florence Little.

Hostesses for the Tuesday meeting were Edna Dodds and Viola Burkamper.

### STAR ROUTE LEAVES EARLIER

Effective Thursday, December 9, the afternoon, southbound Star Route carrier will depart thirty minutes earlier. According to Will Rogers, Princeton postmaster.

The truck will leave the Princeton postoffice about 4 p.m. and from the LeClaire office about 4:30. Other times remain the same.

### Church Women Elect Officers

PRINCETON — Women of the Zion Lutheran church met Wednesday in the church for their regular meeting, election of officers and annual Christmas party.

Twenty four members were present. Mrs. Hugh Johnson led the devotionals, the topic being, "Where in the World is Johnny?" Colored slides were also shown. The photos were taken by Mrs. Johnson's son, Home, while in the air force at Bermuda, Iceland, England and Arabia. The new projector, recently purchased by the Sunday school, was used for the showing.

Also included on the program were short talks by Mrs. Clemmons about British Columbia and Mrs. Mae Haines spoke about Japan. Rev. Richard Otten sang two Christmas songs.

During the business portion of the meeting the following officers were elected: Mrs. Leonard Graham, president; Mrs. Frank Peitscher, vice-president; Mrs. Frank Erling, treasurer and Mrs. Harold Kunde, secretary.

Following the Christmas gift exchange, two quilts were tied to be sent as Christmas gifts to the Nachusa Orphanage at Nachusa, Ill. A pot luck lunch was served.

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**COFFEE TIME**

by

Leona Farley

Throw away your diets, ladies, until after New Year's Day because this week and next I am going to pass along to you some delicious cookie, candy and fruit cake recipes for your holiday happiness. Good luck!

**EASY PRALINES**Mrs. Bob McClellan  
1 pkg. brown sugar  
1/4 C. milk

1 t. vanilla  
1 C. pecans, chopped. These may be added before or after cooking.

Cook all ingredients together to soft ball stage (236 degrees). Beat until stiff and creamy. When mixture is stiff, drop rapidly from a spoon onto a buttered sheet in patties. Pecan halves may be pressed into top of each praline. Candy should stiffen immediately. Wrap in waxed paper and store until ready to use.

**PINEAPPLE COOKIES**

Mrs. Harold Voss

1 C. butter  
1 C. brown sugar, packed  
1 C. white sugar  
2 eggs beaten  
1 small can crushed pineapple  
4 C. sifted flour  
1 t. soda  
1 t. vanilla  
1 C. chopped nuts  
Dash of salt

Cream shortening. Add brown and white sugar gradually followed by vanilla and eggs. Sift flour, salt and soda together three times. Add pineapple and flour alternately. Stir in nut meats then drop by teaspoonful on a greased cookie sheet. Flatten by pressing with bottom of a glass which has been covered with cheese cloth and dipped in colored sugar before each pressing.

**FRENCH COOKIES**

also by Mrs. Voss

2 C. brown sugar, packed  
1 C. butter or shortening  
1 C. hot water  
3 eggs  
1 t. cloves  
1 t. soda  
3 C. sifted flour  
2 C. white raisins  
1 t. cinnamon  
1/2 C. chopped nuts

Cream shortening and sugar. Add hot water. Beat eggs and add to batter. Sift flour, soda and spices together three times. Stir in raisins and nuts. Pour into 8X12X2 inch pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 minutes. Cut in squares.

**FRUIT CAKE**

Mrs. Lawrence Voss

Boil the following ingredients five minutes after it starts to bubble:

4 C. brown sugar  
4 C. hot water  
4 or 5 C. raisins  
1 t. cloves  
2 t. salt  
2 T. lard  
2 T. butter

Let stand to cool then add 2 t. soda in a little warm water, 3 C. cake flour and 3 C. all-purpose flour (or you may use 6 C. all-purpose flour, if desired) 2 eggs, 1 or 2 C. finely chopped nuts. Then add the fruit mix in the amounts desired of orange peel, citron and candied cherries. Beat at 300 degrees for 30 minutes then reduce to 275 degrees for 1 to 1 1/2 hours. The mixture will fill one 10-in. angel food cake pan and two loaf pans. The cooled cakes may be wrapped for storing in a cloth saturated with wine, if desired.

**BURNT SUGAR CANDY**

Mrs. John Schaff

Heat 1/2 C. sugar until it becomes brown and caramelized. Then add 1 T. butter, 2 C. sugar and 1 C. milk. Boil until it forms a soft ball. Add 1/2 C. black walnuts. Beat until creamy and pour into oiled dish. Cut into squares.

**RELIGIOUS CARDS**  
In 1875 Marcus Ward and Co. of Belfast, Ireland, published a set of four cards which pictured scenes of the Nativity. Four centuries earlier, in 1450, a German New Year's card contained a sketch of the Christmas Child, this being the earliest religious card on record. Interestingly enough, New Year's cards were popular long before Christmas cards. Both in China where printing was invented, and in the Rhine

**PRINCETON**

Mr. and Mrs. George Wenzel of Chicago were weekend guests of Mrs. Lauretta Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Graham had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnson and Homer, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Pruet, Mrs. Cora Jones and Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Otten. A belated Thanksgiving and Homer's birthday were observed. Homer arrived home last week.

Mrs. Elmer Brown took her son, Kieth, to Iowa City on Wednesday where he will enter the hospital and undergo surgery.

**COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS**  
Princeton, Iowa.

The Town Council of Princeton, Iowa, met in regular session December 6, 1954. Mayor Ken Purington presiding. Present: Peitscher, Litscher, Suiter and Wilkinson. Absent: Woerner. Treasurer's Report: Receipts: Co. Treas. \$25.00, Geo. Beuse \$10.00, Road Use Tax \$203.78, Balance \$2004.48. Moved by Litscher, seconded by Suiter that Treasurer's Report be accepted. All yeas, motion carried.

**Bills Presented**  
Ia-Ill. Gas & Elec. Co.  
Lights ..... \$67.38  
W. V. Lum Lbr. Co.  
Mat. for City Hall ..... 198.87  
Princeton Telephone Co.  
November bill ..... 4.00  
Glen O. Brown  
Marshall's Salary ..... 60.00  
Cecil Hamilton & Sons  
Sand and Asphalt ..... 67.60  
H. E. Lund Imp. Co.  
Maint. of St. Equip. .... 11.30  
Hir's Standard Service  
Maint. of St. Equip. .... 21.23  
Fidlar & Chambers Co.  
Warrants on Treas. .... 21.00  
John Mohlman  
Street Labor ..... 40.50  
The Weekly News  
Publishing ..... 4.20  
Weaver Const. Co.  
Rock ..... 81.00  
Glen H. Suiter  
City Hall Ins. and Wkmen's Comp. Ins. .... 86.36  
Moved by Peitscher, seconded by Litscher that bills be allowed. All yeas, motion carried.

Moved by Wilkinson, seconded by Peitscher that meeting adjourn. All yeas, motion carried.

Harriet A. Shaw, Town Clerk

**COFFEE TIME (Cont'd)**

Valley, where the first European printing presses were established, New Year's greetings have a long tradition.

The exchange of Christmas greetings had its beginning in England in the form of the Christmas note, or a letter of good wishes. One that is still in existence has a design in the shape of a clover. Each leaf contains an illustration of a holiday scene — old folks playing cards, young people playing ball, and two lovers spooning. The title reads, "Youth-Age-Keeping Ye Merry Christmas."

**CHILDREN'S CARDS**

Later, over 250 years ago English school children gave us another forerunner of today's Christmas card. These were "Christmas pieces," expressions of good will which the children wrote at Christmas-time to show their parents the progress they were making in penmanship. The borders of these "Christmas pieces" contained engravings dramatizing important events of the year, such as battles, coronations and rural sports. Eventually scenes from the Scriptures took the place of these.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:**  
Blessed is the gift that makes you love the giver instead of the gift.

— Anon.

## Princeton

By  
Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

Mr. and Mrs. August Payson of Davenport are grandparents of twin boys born Sunday to their daughter Arlene and husband George Weaver of Moline. The Paysons are former residents. The Weavers have three other children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sierk, Mrs. Amanda Sierk and Mrs. Anne Graham of Davenport visited over the weekend with relatives in this area.

Cpl. and Mrs. Roger Havenhill of Elizabethtown, Ky., are proud parents of a son born Tuesday night, December 7, in Fort Knox. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Havenhill and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Siem.

Henry Holst celebrated his birthday at a family supper in the Roy Holst home. Mr. Holst is the father of Roy and Dick Holst and Mrs. Elmer Peitscher.

Nick Siem was guest of honor at a family birthday party Sunday in his home. Forty relatives attended.

Richard Graham suffered a broken collar bone in a fall Monday nite. He is wearing a cast and had to be home from school for several days.

Pfc. Russell Spinsby reported for duty at 4 p.m. Wednesday in New Jersey after a 20-day furlough with relatives here. He was accompanied by his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lively and family, who then went to Norfolk, Va., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dodds.

Local participants in the Sweet Adeline Chorus that meets in Davenport high school at 7:45 p.m. every Wednesday are: Jean Porter, Iva Auliff, Dorothy Auliff, Joan Suiter and Carol Beuse. Anyone who desires to join the group should contact Mrs. Porter.

Pfc. James Hamilton was in Anniston, Ala., Sunday when the storm that caused so much damage in that locality took place. Pfc. Hamilton will begin his furlough December 16 and be home over Christmas.

Gene Moorhead of Clairmont were recent guests in the C. Moorhead home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porter and Barbara will leave December 21 for Denver, Colo., and will return on the 29th. They will visit Dr. and Mrs. John Frevert.

Elton Baxter of Davenport, who recently participated in the Pearl Harbor anniversary is a former resident of this area.

Harold Birney, coach of De Witt high school, was honored at a surprise banquet last week and received a wrist watch as a token of appreciation. The gift was from a group of De Witt fans. Several local students are coached by Birney.

## LeClaire

By

Mrs. Elmer Hussett

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ewoldt are parents of a baby girl born Tuesday, November 30. Mrs. Ewoldt was formerly Delores Dreschler.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Johnson of Philadelphia, Pa., are parents of a baby girl. This is

their fourth daughter. Marvin Johnson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson.

Mrs. Leonard Johnson underwent surgery at St. Lukes hospital Monday, December 6. Ed Steffen was taken to St. Lukes hospital Sunday, December 5. Mr. Steffen is an uncle of Mrs. Gene Youngers and Irv Morey.

Ruth Bragonier of Clinton was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Bragonier.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Parrick and a sister of Mr. Parrick left Monday for a three-month stay in California. They will visit relatives in Pasadena and San Francisco.

Regular meeting of the Grit Club will be held December 17 with Mrs. Myrtle Wright.

Mr. W. F. Felt was admitted to the University hospital in Iowa City on Saturday. His condition is reported as fair.

Mrs. Anna Gilbert was taken to St. Lukes hospital in Davenport, this past week.

## Argo

By

Mrs. Laura Gast

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lippold, Jr. attended the International in Chicago the first of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bucks and son, Dale, attended the International at Chicago from last week Thursday until the following Monday. Dale showed a calf at the Fair. Ronnie Paaski went along as helper.

Mrs. Earl Benson, teacher of Pleasant Hill school, and the pupils will have their Christmas program Friday, December 10.

Lester Doyle returned home Tuesday from Mercy hospital. He was hospitalized for over four weeks and is now much improved.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Argo church will hold their regular meeting Thursday, December 9, in the home of Mrs. Gladys Henry.

Leader is Mrs. Eldon Fletcher.

Mrs. Lena Fletcher's family had a family get-together and dinner last Wednesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bucks, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Frazier from Arkansas. Mrs. Frazier is a sister-in-law of Mrs. Fletcher.

The L. O. A. class of the Argo church held their Christmas party last Thursday in the church.

Thirty attended the noon luncheon. Following the luncheon, devotionals and a short business meeting were held in addition to a gift exchange and social hour.

Sunday, December 5, marked the 12th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schlump. A family dinner was held in the Schlump home.

Donald Sidlinger left last Friday for Camp Kilmer, N.J., where he is to report for overseas duty. His wife, Carol and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Auliff took him to Chicago from where he flew to New Jersey.

Dick Armstrong sustained a broken nose last Friday evening while playing basketball.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Hamilton attended a Gideon meeting in Muscatine last Sunday.

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## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

If you want your membership and public events listed in the Community Calendar please mail us a card or telephone Princeton 78. It's open to all.

December 10, Friday — Princeton Echo Rebekah Lodge Christmas party and gift exchange, pot luck supper at 6 p.m. IOOF Hall.

December 15, Wednesday — LeClaire township Farm Bureau women. Christmas party and noon pot luck dinner, home of Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale.

December 16, Thursday — LeClaire P. T. A. regular meeting.

December 17, Friday — LeClaire Presbyterian Church Willing Workers, regular meeting.

Regular meeting Grit Club. Grassy Lane School program in evenning.

December 18, Saturday — Christmas Variety Show, Community Hall, 8 p.m.

December 21, Tuesday — Princeton P. T. A. regular evening meeting.

December 22, Wednesday — Princeton Presbyterian Sunday School annual Christmas program and gift exchange.

Princeton Lutheran Church program at 7:30 p.m.

December 23, Thursday — Cody Elementary School, Christmas program, 7:30 p.m.

December 24, Friday — No school at Princeton.

January 4, Tuesday — LeClaire Woman's Club, potluck supper at 6 p.m. Mayor Beuse speaks.

LeClaire American Legion, Buffalo Bill Post 347, regular meeting.

Grassy Lane Club, regular meeting, home of Mrs. Alvena Schmalz.

January 26, Wednesday — Princeton Township Farm Bureau women, all day meeting home of Mrs. Raymond Hamilton.

The Cody Elementary school will have their Christmas program Thursday, December 23, at 7:30 p.m.

The Junior Choir of the Argo church will meet in the Roy Hamilton home next Thursday evening, December 16 at 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Christian Life 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

## ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC

LeClaire  
Father Francis Duncan Masses  
Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

## CALVARY CHAPEL

LeClaire  
Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Service 6:45 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN  
Princeton

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

ZION LUTHERAN  
Princeton

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

## ST JAMES CATHOLIC

Princeton  
Father Tom Taylor Masses  
Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

LeClaire  
Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

## GOSPEL TABERNACLE

LeClaire  
Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor  
Worship Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

## UNITED PRESBYTERIAN

Argo  
Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale Pastor  
Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Bible School 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services 7:00 p.m.

Midweek Services: 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday

Church School 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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## DOGS KILL SHEEP

Dogs attacked a flock of 16 sheep on the Porter Farms, west of Princeton, and killed 8 of the animals. The attack took place sometime during Sunday night.

## Farm Bureau Institute

For the benefit of township and county officers of the Farm Bureau an institute will be held Friday, December 17.

The meeting will be held at the Lend-a-Hand Club in Davenport, starting at 10 a.m.

A representative of the Iowa Farm Bureau Federation will be in charge.

## All-Day Meeting

Thirteen Farm Bureau ladies attended an all-day meeting Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Warren Hamilton.

Santa Claus sleighs and glitter candles were made from metallic foil under the direction of Mrs. Eloise Robb. Gift wrapping was demonstrated by Mrs. Jean Porter.

## Christmas Party

Twenty one adults and six children attended the Farm Bureau Christmas party Wednesday afternoon in the home of Martha Holst.

Mrs. Orville Stewart presided and reported on the Farm Bureau Federation meeting in Des Moines. Mrs. Harry McConnell reported on the county officers meeting in the Keppy home.

Mrs. Bob Porter was appointed to attend the State legislature meeting in January to which the county will send delegates by chartered bus.

All those attending brought gifts to be taken to Pine Knoll Sanitarium.

An all-day meeting will be held Wednesday, January 26, in the home of Mrs. Raymond Hamilton. The lesson will be "Milk and Milk Foods."

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4-H Clubs News

The Randy Meinert home was the meeting place for the 4-H boys with thirteen present. An ice skating party was planned following routine business. The next meeting will be in the home of Bobby Holst.

LeClaire township 4-H boys held their regular meeting Thursday evening in the home of Dale Bucks.

The girl's 4-H club held their meeting Saturday in the home of Evalle Arp.

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## "Think it Over"

### WHAT IS NEXT MOVE?

On the front page is a letter signed by Governor Leo Hoegh in regard to petitions requesting immediate improvement of Highway 67.

It is noted that the governor expressed himself quite well on the subject of highways for the state, but our problem at the moment is about ten miles of the states worst road, to be specific.

Had the governor at least indicated that he would reply further when advised by the Highway Commission on plans for the road improvements, then we would have had an example of a real interest in the people's request.

If it stops here — past efforts will have been in vain. As I see it, insofar as the governor is concerned he has closed his file.

There is one way we can keep the file very active and that is for all of us to back up our signatures on those petitions by a personal letter to the governor and the highway commission.

I often wonder how many more lives will be lost, how many will be injured and how much damage will be done to our cars before that stretch of road is rebuilt?

Last week we devoted most of one page to a Community Project survey. Have you expressed your opinion by returning the survey form?

Before the big snow it was kite flying weather. Probably hard to convince the youngsters, that there will be plenty nice days to fly their kites. Maybe one, or several, of our local organizations could sponsor a kite-derby.

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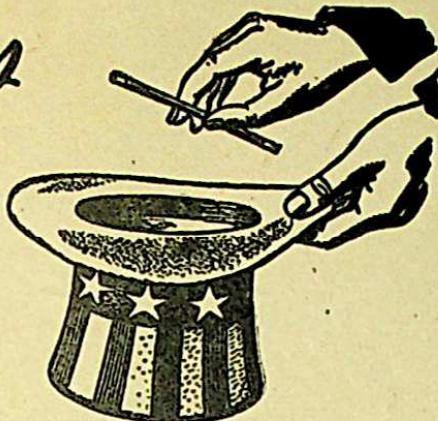
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NEWSPAPER

# Uncle Sam is no magician



**H**E CAN'T PULL a rabbit out of his hat, nor can he produce special benefits for you or anyone else out of thin air. Every benefit must be paid for out of Uncle Sam's Treasury.

Sometimes people talk about Uncle Sam's Treasury as if it were an endless source of money provided by someone else. Actually, of course, every cent that flows from Uncle Sam's coffers eventually comes out of the pockets of *all* our citizens in the form of income taxes, excise taxes, and hidden taxes levied on the clothes we wear, the food we eat, and our houses.

No single economic group can provide enough money to foot the bill. For instance, if Uncle Sam were to tax away *all* income of individuals making over \$10,000 a year, the amount collected would pay the cost of government in 1954 for only two weeks. Therefore the burden of taxes must fall on everyone. So, remember: It's your money that will be spent.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lester Fries are the proud parents of a boy born Thursday. The new arrival has been named Frank LaVern.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Harry are proud parents of a baby boy born Saturday in Mercy Hospital.

Christina Nueemann from Denmark was among relatives who attended the Silver Wedding at Eugene Dannatt's. She is a niece of Mrs. Helen Cousins, Mrs. Dannatt's mother of Low Moor.

Mrs. Charles Cummins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Holst, is visiting her parents and relatives in this area. She expects to remain here for about three months while her husband, an officer in the air force is on duty in French Morocco, Africa. Captain Cummins pilots a B-47 and is assigned to a base near Topeka, Kansas.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

JUNE IS DAIRY MONTH

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22 — Ice Cream Social in Princeton Presbyterian Church.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29 — General meeting of Zion Lutheran Church women in the evening at the church.

TUESDAY, JULY 5 — Mothers of World War II, Unit 5, regular meeting.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6 — Grassy Lane Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard Tobey DeWitt.

SATURDAY, JULY 9 — Princeton Livewires 4-H club will meet at the home of Mary Day.

THURSDAY, JULY 21 — Church Workers of Presbyterian Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Tague.

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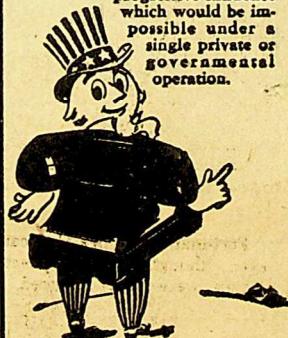
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

JUNE IS DAIRY MONTH

SATURDAY, JUNE 4 — Summer School at St. James.

MONDAY, JUNE 6 — Vacation Bible School at both Zion Lutheran and Presbyterian churches.

TUESDAY, JUNE 7 — Altar and Rosary Society home of Mrs. Effie McKnight. Mothers of World War II, Unit 5, regular meeting at the school.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10 — Past Noble Grands meet with Mrs. Dick Holst.

SATURDAY, JUNE 11 — Princeton Livewires 4-H Club at home of Rita Holst. LeClaire Boosters 4-H Club at home of Beverly Clark.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16 — Princeton Presbyterian Church Workers meet in home of Mrs. Bob Porter.

FRIDAY, JUNE 24 — LeClaire Presbyterian Choir musical concert and Ice cream social at 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6 — Grassy Lane Club meeting.

St. James Parish  
Summer School  
Starts Saturday

Summer School at St. James church will start at 8 a.m. Saturday, June 4, and continue all next week.

First Communion will be observed at 8:30 Sunday morning.

Presbyterian Vacation  
Bible School  
Starts Monday - June 6

Vacation Bible School will open at 9 a.m. Monday, June 6, in the Princeton Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Norman Shroeder is the general chairman.

Teachers will be Mrs. Burdette Huston, Mrs. Delmar Wilson, Mrs. Jack Tabor, Marion Meinert, Dixie Damon, Mrs. Ray Davis, Mrs. Russell Enyeart, Mary Ney and Cheryl Huston.

Mrs. Lloyd Sierk will be in charge of music with Marion Meinert the pianist.

Children, who will enroll in kindergarten this fall, and older are eligible to attend.

## Old-Time Phone Vagaries in Small Towns Are Recalled

By M. A. FULTON  
Editor of The Times

This column could be entitled from "Knife Switch to Dial Phones." It is a brief record of telephone progress in the eastern portion of Scott county and as such similar to the story of rural telephone development everywhere.

The first switchboard at Princeton was homemade by an undertaker with a flair for electrical things and consisted of knife switches of the kind familiar as lightning arresters.

An incoming call was answered by closing the switch on that line. To ring a subscriber, which was done by hand, the first switch was thrown open and the switch on the line of the subscriber being called was closed. To make the connection both switches were closed. 

### Had No Numbers

In the event more than one call was being made through the switchboard it was necessary to connect the lines already in use by a plug. Only three plugs were provided but they were sufficient in that day.

Memorizing names and calls of subscribers was necessary for the operator. Nobody called by number. In fact some years later when an attempt was made to introduce numbers the complaint was raised by some subscribers that it was "a scheme of the Bell to get control." Folk in that age were leary of big corporations. Some of their families now prize their A. T. & T. stock.

John Anderson was a pioneer in the movement to establish rural telephone lines in eastern Scott county and he envisioned the exchange at Argo as the central and principal point. His views were expounded long and forcefully years after his death, so potent was his influence in that early day. The lines, of course, were cooperatively owned.

When the lines were established disputes sometimes arose in regard to the assignment of rings.

Dr. John Knox was a vigorous and combative citizen of Princeton and was among the first telephone subscribers. He insisted upon having two long rings at his call and upon making the ring for the central office in Princeton four longs and a short.

That naturally irked 19 other subscribers who called Princeton 100 times to once they might call Dr. Knox. Finally he was talked out of his two longs and they became the Princeton call on that line as on all others.

### Good Advertising

Another physician in a neighboring town who could be called from the Princeton exchange always insisted on having five longs and a short as his call. When that long ring went over the line everybody knew someone was sick or injured and every receiver on the line went down. It wasn't bad advertising for the physician, but a bit hard on the arm of the operator doing the ringing.

Farmers and town people were "telephone conscious" and a "telephone picnic" was an annual event at Pinneo's grove north of Princeton in the early years. It was an attraction for all farm and town families. The benefits of the telephone were extolled. Stromberg-Carlson instruments were in use for the most part but other makes were also exhibited at the picnic.

A hack drawn by a team carried folk out from Princeton and from a station on the I. & I. electric line, a mile from the picnic grounds, for that picnic and for Fourth of July and similar celebrations.

### A Resourceful Driver

The hack took people to the grounds all forenoon and then always faced the prospect of most of the crowd wanting to go home at once as the afternoon waned.

The driver was resourceful. As soon after noon as he dared he began driving around the grounds yelling: "LAST hack for downtown; LAST hack for the I. & L." in the hope of scaring timid people into believing they would be left unless they clambered aboard.

As the telephone business developed, the Princeton exchange and then the LeClaire exchange were taken over by private management. Individual subscribers refused to be bothered with keeping lines in shape.

Both exchanges now are owned by Russell Enyeart who has just changed the LeClaire system to dial telephones.

When an operator no longer presides at a town's telephone exchange some radical adjustments must be made by the residents who have depended upon the operator to act quickly in emergencies — especially fires.

In LeClaire the fire alarm problem has been solved by dial No. 2990 which rings telephones simultaneously in five places agreed upon by members of the LeClaire Volunteer Fire Department. It is expected that will do the trick which previously was the operator's duty.

**TOO MUCH KNOWLEDGE?**  
Chicago Daily News: Are we dreaming  
or was there more everyday communication

### CAPTAIN JOHN F. SUITER LAID TO REST ON TUESDAY



Captain John F. Suiter

### MRS. SARAH BALLARD FUNERAL HELD

LECLAIRE — Mrs. Sarah Caroline Ballard, 89, died Monday at 3:30 p.m. in the home of her son, Lester Ballard, Le Claire, after an extended illness.

Born November 22, 1864, in Green County, Ill., she was the daughter of the late Ruben and Elizabeth Martin. She was married to Charles F. Ballard on June 9, 1885 in Drake, Ill. Mr. Ballard died in 1941.

Surviving are two sons, Lester of Le Claire, and Jeff of Rock Island; three daughters, Mrs. Alvin Johnson, Rock Island; Mrs. Clyde Thompson, Davenport and Mrs. Ben Randolph, Phoenix, Arizona. In addition 18 grandchildren and 28 great grand children also survive.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Mc Ginnis Funeral Home. The Rev. K. E. Matschulat, pastor of the Full Gospel Tabernacle officiating. Burial was in Glendale Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Enyeart and family visited Mr. Enyeart's mother, Mrs. Alma Enyeart near Triplett, Mo., over the week end. Also visiting there at the same time was Mr. Enyeart's uncle and family from Denver, Colo.

PRINCETON — Funeral services for Captain John Franklin Suiter, 79, who died at 2:45 p.m. Friday in his home in Princeton, were held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Hill and Frederick Chapel in Davenport, with the Rev. H. J. Rendall, pastor of the Princeton Presbyterian Church officiating. Burial was in Glendale Cemetery, LeClaire. Bearers were nephews of the deceased; Lawrence, Robert, John and Albert Carter and Lee and Laurel Suiter.

Mr. Suiter was born April 15, 1875, in LeClaire, the son of John W. and Laura Suiter. He attended school there and lived in Scott County his entire life. Since graduating from school he had been a pilot and captain of river boats, having served 30 years with the U.S. Engineers.

He married Olive Pearl Carter in Princeton December 23, 1908, who survives with four daughters; Mrs. Charles (Olive Lee) Harms of Houston, Texas, Mrs. Roy (Laura) Holst of Princeton. Mrs. Ronald (Evelyn) Rothenberger of Brooklyn, New York and Mrs. Walter (Helen) McGuire of Stuart, Florida; two sons, John R. and James F. both of Princeton; a sister, Mrs. Warren Carter of Charlotte, Iowa, and three brothers, James P., Lee G. and William A. all of LeClaire and twelve grandchildren. Two daughters preceded him in death. Mr. Suiter passed away on the 18th birthday of his grandson Johnnie Suiter.

Relatives were here from Houston, Texas, Brooklyn, New York, Des Moines and Shenandoah, Iowa.

### Dayton Arkie's

#### Mother Buried

Funeral services for Mrs. Loreen Emily Arkie, 76 of 518 E. 12th Street, Davenport were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday in Bettendorf. Burial was in Bettendorf Memorial Park. Mrs. Arkie was the mother of Dayton C. Arkie of Princeton.

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# Governor Hoegh Replies on Road

IOWA  
EXECUTIVE CHAMBER  
DES MOINES

March 2, 1955

Mr. George Volrath,  
Box 114, Princeton, Iowa.

Dear Sir:

Thank you for sending me the petitions signed by residents of Eastern Iowa relative to the improvements of U. S. Highway 67. I appreciate the interest which you folks have in the improvement of this important road, and I am forwarding your letter to our Chief Engineer of the Highway Commission at Ames. I shall ask him to advise me as to what plans are being made for the improvement of this road and will notify him of the tremendous amount of interest which your petitions exhibit.

I am determined to do all within my power to give the citizens of Iowa the best in modern highways, and to waste no time in getting such a program under way. I appreciate your writing to me, and I want you to know that I am happy to hear from you on matters of common interest.

Very truly yours,  
LEO A. HOEGH,  
Governor of Iowa

## GOVERNOR TO SEEK PLANS FROM COMMISSION ON ROAD

Above is a copy of a letter from Governor Leo Hoegh which was received by George Volrath in connection with the petitions requesting improvement of highway 67, between Riverdale and LeClaire.

Mr. Volrath also received letters from State Senator Jack Shroeder, and Representatives Riley Dietz and Don Petruccelli favoring the improvements.

A total of 2717 area residents signed the road petitions in addition to 553 signers of a LeClaire

## Princeton Firemen

### Cleaning Station

Princeton firemen are doing their spring house cleaning early at the fire station.

Members of the department have applied composition blocks on the ceiling. They will also paint the walls and the floor.

In April the Princeton volunteers will be host to the county firefighters for their association meeting.

## BEUSE'S

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**Lea Mars**

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their Fun Nite in the basement of the church.

Beginning next Sunday evening, April 3, the evening services in the Argo church will be at 7:30 p.m.

Good Friday preparatory services preceding communion will be held in the Argo church at 7:30 p.m., April 8.

W. E. Paul held the lucky number which entitled him to the pony given away at the new Geifman store in Davenport.

### MC CAUSLAND

Thirty five members of the birthday club and friends helped Mrs. Ivan Mowatt celebrate her birthday on Saturday.

### LOTS OF WEAR AND SERVICE

*In These Good - Used*

TIRES

BATTERIES

AUTO PARTS

BROWN'S

Garage and Auto Salvage  
PRINCETON

On April 14 there will be an Art Display at which time work of the pupils will be displayed. The 7th and 8th grades will enter ceramics and papier-mache figurines. Mostly birds are made from the papier-mache. Mrs. Clement, 7-8 grade teacher, brought some green clay which turns red when baked. It makes very pretty china and china boxes.

The 5th and 6th grades will entertain at the next P. T. A. meeting. Mrs. Wenzel is the teacher.

Eighth graders were invited to a skating party at the Fox Roller Rink in Camanche. All had fun and enjoyed it very much. The party was put on by LeClaire's 6th, 7th and 8th grades, as a non profit entertainment.

There hasn't been hardly a day since the mumps started that we have had perfect attendance. It seems as if the flu is going around now.

Popcorn is still selling very well at school. Guess popcorn is one thing they never get tired of.

### CODY ELEMENTARY

The newly organized parents club netted \$85. at the bake sale last Saturday in the LeClaire fire station.

### TO Rural Teachers —

As the Princeton school writer stated there are only a few weeks remaining in the current school year. We would appreciate receiving your school items for publication in THE WEEKLY NEWS.



We Can't Pile Everything On The COUNTER  
— so, if you didn't know, we would like to say  
We have *nails, spikes, staples, screws and bolts*  
if you need them.

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## PAIN'S CAFE

ORDERS TAKEN FOR HOMEMADE

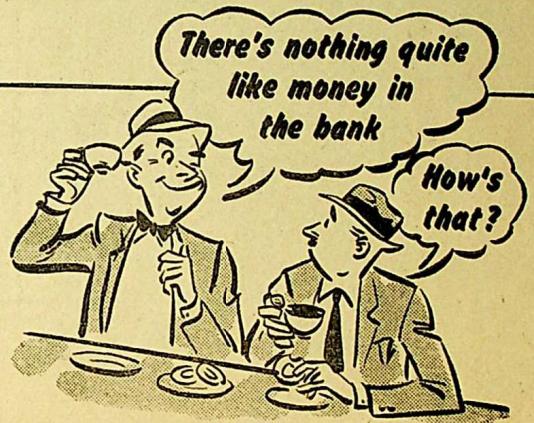
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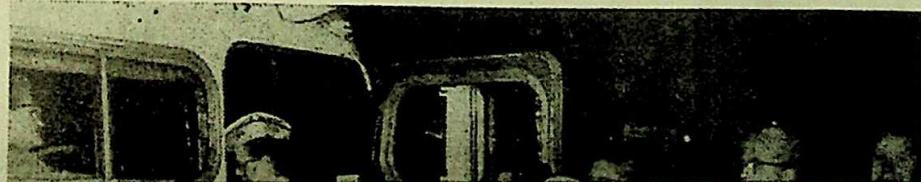
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- Mrs. Irene Johnson, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice
- Mrs. Edna Dadds, Sec.
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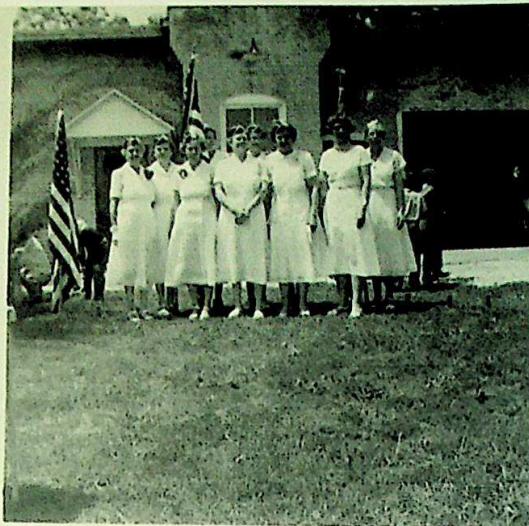


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- Florence Littel
- Lella Hoepfner
- Beula Hamill
- Leone Ruhberg
- Minni Kleeburg
- Marge Klemme
- Jessie Parish
- Helen Shaw
- Gladys Hamilton
- Ethel Oakes
- Eleanor Siefers
- Gladys Wolf
- Lily Reistroffer
- Luda Lineberg
- Irma Litscher
- Malinda Doersher
- Caroline Neff
- Cedelia Johnson
- Jessie Olson
- Amanda Larson
- Regina Pottz
- Dorothy Burmeister
- Ethel Aep
- Katharina Dhooge
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## HALLOWEEN Parade - In Princeton

### HENRY B. HOLST

#### BURIED MONDAY

PRINCETON — Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday in Runge Chapel, Davenport, for Henry B. Holst, 80, well known former Butler township farmer and brother of Mrs. Alvina Schmalz and David Holst of Princeton.

Mr. Holst passed away early Friday morning in a Davenport hospital after an illness of nine days. Burial was in Davenport Memorial Park. Bearers were nephews of the deceased; Harry, Earl and Vernon Holst, Wesley Schmalz, Elmer Schmidt and Raymond Herman. Rev. Emerson Miller officiated.

Mr. Holst was born west of Princeton in Butler township on November 28, 1873, the son of Detifil and Mollie Holst, pioneer Scott County residents. He married Alvina Hill February 22, 1899. The couple retired from farming in 1933 and moved to Davenport. They had celebrated their Golden and 55th anniversaries.

Survivors include his wife, a son, LeRoy A. Van Nuyts, Calif., who arrived home Sunday, three daughters; Mrs. Earl J. (Louella) Hiersman of Davenport, Mrs. John (Gladys) Pavolic, Sherman Oaks Calif., who arrived home Thursday and Mrs. Walter (Fern) Volbeer of Eldridge; six grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; two brothers, Edward of Davenport and David F. of Princeton; three sisters, Mrs. Lillie Renihan and Mrs. Marie Suiter of Davenport and Mrs. Alvina Schmalz of Princeton.

His parents, three sisters and a brother preceded him in death.

Mr. Holst had been to a birthday dinner on Sunday at the Alvina Schmalz home and had attended the R. E. A. picnic on Tuesday. He suffered a heart attack Tuesday evening.

Edward S. Holst, 83, of Davenport, died at 3 p.m. on Wednesday in a Davenport hospital. Mr. Holst was stricken Monday night, after the funeral for his brother, Henry B. Holst.

### MRS. CLYDE PHILLIPS

#### BURIED AT LE CLAIRE

Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the McGinnis Funeral Home in Bettendorf for Mrs. Clyde Phillips. Interment was in Glendale cemetery in LeClaire.

Mrs. Phillips, age 78, passed away at the home of her son, Leonard Phillips in Chicago. In addition to the son, she is survived by a brother, Ed Stephens of LeClaire and a niece and two nephews.

### Lutheran Women Attend Conference

Several women from the Zion Lutheran Church, Princeton, attended a special meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the Iowa Conference.

The meeting was held at Zion Lutheran Church in Clinton on Monday. Two hundred registered at the meeting. Those attending from Princeton were; Mrs. Betty Miller, Miss Emma Helble, Miss Pollock and Mrs. Cora Jones.

### McCausland Bowlers

#### Top Of League

MC CAUSLAND — The McCausland Merchants are at the top of the league in the bowling tournament held in DeWitt.

Bowlers and sponsors are; Mrs. George Rasche sponsored by Stevens Grocery, Mrs. Jerry Pool representing Hansen Pool Variety, Mrs. Lambert Storjohann for the Walters Garage and Miss Tina Storjohann from Tina's Beauty Shoppe.

### Argo

By

### Mrs. Laura Gast

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Moorhead and daughter, Debbie, were week end visitors in the C. D. Moorhead home, last week.

Mrs. Archie Carter of West Virginia was a visitor in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Valley Fletcher last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Paaske of Dickinson, Texas have been visiting here the past two weeks. They spent last Monday in the home of their nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paaske and family.

Cpl. Jack Paaske who has been home for the past several days left Tuesday morning for North Carolina.

Lila McConnell spent the weekend at Ames visiting her sister, Carol, and attending home coming.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wallace of Bettendorf left for Texas last week. They will spend the winter there.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tague welcomed a new baby boy last week at Osteopathic Hospital in Davenport.

Forty members of the Women's Missionary Society and the Good Samaritans gathered at the U. P. Church last Thursday for their union meeting. Following the noon luncheon a very fine program was sponsored by the Good Samaritans.

Dennis Farrell, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Farrell of Argos, spent six days in Mercy Hospital, last week, due to a leg infection.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fessell of Chicago spent last Tuesday with Mr. James Bensen who is recovering from recent surgery. They returned home Tuesday evening.

Mary Ann Sindlinger and Elaine Paaske drove to Ames Saturday morning to attend home coming.

The Willing Workers of the Argo Church met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Everett Sindlinger. Mrs. Charles Benson was the leader.

Sunday, October 31st, there will be a Presbyteral Youth Rally at Columbus City, Iowa, during the afternoon and evening. On that evening, services will not be held in the Argo Church.

Walter Paul returned home last week from his hunting trip around Cora, Wisconsin. He shot an elk on the trip.

Bob Lundholm who has been visiting his parents and friends left Sunday by plane for California, where he is stationed in the service.

McCausland post office is getting a face lifting, according to a report by Miss Anna McKinney, postmistress.

The exterior is receiving a fresh coat of paint and the interior is being redecorated.

### Mrs. Simeon Bowley

#### Struck By Door

ARGO — Mrs. Simeon Bowley had the misfortune, last Thursday, of falling and breaking her left hip and left wrist.

About noon, reportedly, she was attempting to fasten a garage door open. A gust of strong wind blew the door causing her to lose her balance and fall.

Mrs. Bowley is in Mercy Hospital in Davenport.

### LeClaire

By

### Mrs. Elmer Hussett

Ten Past Matrons met at the home of Mrs. Wilbur Kroeger Wednesday, October 13, for a pot luck luncheon.

Ann Brown and her brother Verne Tobeck have purchased the Jim Gilbert home. They will move in as soon as it is redecorated.

The 500 Club met at the home of Mrs. Audrey Dittmer on Tuesday evening, October 12. Prizes were awarded to Elaine Crawford, Fritzie Kruse, Maxine Scharff and Bernice Youngers.

The What Trump Club met at the home of Mrs. Lizzie Martin, Monday evening, October 11. Twelve members were present. 500 was played and the prizes were awarded to Mrs. Flora Jugenheimer, Mrs. Alice Parrick, Mrs. Mary Stichter and Mrs. Emma Rutherford. Hostess was Miss Margaret Winrow.

The Grit Club held their regular meeting Thursday, October 14, with a hot dinner served at noon by Mrs. George Heldt, hostess for the day. Eighteen members were present and Mrs. Harry Meinert was welcomed as a new member. The afternoon was spent painting and cleaning the new building.

The Philathea Class met at the church Thursday, evening with fourteen in attendance. A business meeting was conducted and orders were taken for Christmas cards by the members, which is an annual selling project. A delicious lunch of fresh fruit cookies, fruit cake and coffee was served by the hostess, Mrs. Orville Leath.

The Presbyterian Church held their first family nite party in the church annex on Friday evening, October 15, with a good attendance. It was a pot luck supper. There was a program after the supper. It is planned to hold a family nite party each month.

Mr. and Mrs. LeGrand Heldt of Springfield, Missouri are visiting friends and relatives in Davenport LeClaire and Clarence, Iowa. A dinner was served at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Heldt Sunday in observance of Mr. George Heldt's birthday.

### Rebekah Lodge

Beverly Holst McMahon, a recent bride, was honored during the social hour at the regular meeting of the Echo Rebekah Lodge in I. O. O. F. hall. A gift was presented.

Twenty members were present. During the business session with Anne Beuse presiding, plans were made for initiation to be held Thursday, October 28, and all members are to practise Tuesday nite, October

### Carl Brunson Escapes Serious Injury

PRINCETON — Carl Brunson was badly bruised and shaken as a result of a fall from a moving car Sunday afternoon.

Reportedly, Brunson was holding a football while riding on the side of a car. The ball slipped from his hand and in an effort to retrieve it he stepped from the slow moving vehicle. He landed on his feet but fell backwards as he slipped on some loose gravel.

In his fall he landed on his shoulders and head, sustaining numerous scratches, bruises and scalp wounds.

His mother, Mrs. Mabel Brunson, took him to the Osteopathic hospital in Davenport for treatment and observation. He remained in the hospital overnight.

X-rays were made Monday and after it was determined that no bones were broken, he was released.

He returned to school on Tuesday.

### Princeton

By

### Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

David Adams, a Junior at the University of Iowa, was on the "Especially for You" T. V. show Tuesday afternoon. He and a fellow student outlined the activities of the Pep Club.

The vocational agriculture class of Bettendorf High School enjoyed a Chicago trip Wednesday. Charles "Skipper" Hamilton, a freshman, made the trip with other classmates.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter left Wednesday morning for the West and to visit relatives in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beuse returned Wednesday from a Canadian hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson visited in Maple Park, Ill. Sunday. Because of the downpour in the Chicago area they could not return until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Boll spent last week in Dallas, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Birney and Mrs. Court Spinsky spent the past week in West Point, Kentucky, where they visited Pic. and Mrs. Russell Spinsky.

Mrs. Joe Wilkinson was taken to St. Lukes hospital by ambulance Saturday. She will undergo further examination and therapy.

Foster Auliff is in charge of the United Fund campaign in Princeton Township.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peitscher, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Harry McConnell attended a birthday dinner party Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Morgan at the Charles Morgan home in LeClaire.

Mrs. Rebecca McGinnis is ill in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Floyd Ernst.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pine, daughter Beverly and two children from Columbus Junction were dinner guests Sunday in the C. B. Oakes home.

The regular monthly pot luck supper and family nite will be held Wednesday, October 27 in the Lutheran Church.

James Marsden, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Marsden was recently transferred from San Antonio, Texas to Biloxi, Miss.

26. The Funny bones Follies will be given November 5th and 6th in the Community Hall.

### Princeton School Children

#### To Participate

PRINCETON — The annual Halloween parade sponsored jointly by the Princeton School Board and Parent Teachers Association has been scheduled for Friday, October 29.

Forming at the school the parade will start at 1:15 p.m. and move south to Front Street, north to Lund's Garage and return to the school.

Princeton's school pupils will be costumed for the parade and afternoon activities. Prizes will be awarded by impartial judges. Treats will also be given.

Rules have not been placed on the type of costumes, but the hope was expressed for 'original' rather than ready made varieties.

After the parade there will be a judging at the school, of the Poster Contest.

### PRINCETON P. T. A.

#### MET ON TUESDAY

PRINCETON — The regular meeting of the Princeton Parent Teachers Association was held at the school on Tuesday evening.

A program of favorite nursery rhymes was given by the kindergarten class. The young entertainers also sang several songs.

The flag was presented by Princeton's Girl Scout Troop 81.

Betty Purington, publications chairman, spoke on the subject, "Children Need Love and Personal Attention."

The membership committee reported 78 current members.

November 19 was selected as the date for the Winter Karnival for which Rhoda Evans is general chairman. Her committee is as follows: Mrs. Marge Dreschler, Mrs. Evonda Enyeart, Mrs. Ellen McFate, Mrs. Mary Hirl, Mrs. Darlene Sanctec, Mrs. Pat Tabor, Mrs. Mildred Woerner, Mr. Leonard Graham and Mr. Ken Purington.

The Karnival will be held at the Princeton School and the Girl Scout's will have a candy booth.

### McCausland

By

### Miss Anna McKinney

A fellowship supper was held in the church basement Wednesday evening. The pot luck supper was followed by entertainment, including movies shown by Rev. R. M. Maher of St. Anne's Church, Long Grove, of his travels abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clausen and Mrs. Bernice Morris left Wednesday for Norfolk, Virginia, where they will visit a sister of Mrs. Morris.

"Sonny" Anderson, who will on Saturday, October 23, marry Miss Dorinne Hebler in Davenport, was honored at a party Tuesday evening at Marv and Em's. Many friends attended.

The Parent Teachers of the McCausland School met on Tuesday evening. After the business meeting there was a social hour and refreshments. The group voted to hold a bake sale.

John D. Ploog is a patient at DeWitt Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Finnegan are the parents of a baby boy born in Osteopathic Hospital in Davenport.

# THE WEEKLY NEWS

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## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

This calendar is published as a public service, to serve as a reminder of coming events and to assist interested people in selecting future dates. Every effort will be made to present an accurate calendar. Check each week for changes and additions.

**October 28, Thursday** — Grit Club, public card party, LeClaire Legion Hall.

**October 27, Wednesday** — St. Henrys Parish, LeClaire, public card party, 500 and Bunco, 8 p.m. at the church hall. . . .

**NOVEMBER 2, TUESDAY** — ELECTION DAY — BE SURE TO VOTE!

**November 4, Thursday** — LeClaire Presbyterian Church, smorgasbord supper.

**November 5 - 6, Friday and Saturday** — Echo Rebekah Lodge, comedy "Funnybone Follies," at Princeton Community Hall. . . .

**November 12, Friday** — Princeton Fire Department, Annual Benefit Dance at Princeton Community Hall. . . .

**November 20, Saturday** — Summit Presbyterian Church, God's acre sale at 1 p.m.

## Qualified by Experience

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## COFFEE TIME

by

Leona Farley

### COOK OF THE WEEK

ALTA WRIGHT

Hello — sh-h-h, have you seen any strange faces or little goblins around your house this week? Oh Mom, look! they just made a jack-o'-lantern out of that pumpkin you were saving for a pie. Well, we'll just have to tell Dad to bring more in from the field. It is still a few more days before the witches will be riding their brooms and more than one pumpkin face will be needed to scare them away.

Well, the coffee is hot so let us enjoy it and leave the children to their fun.

### BROOMS

On stormy days  
When the wind is high  
Tall trees are brooms  
Sweeping the sky.  
They swish their branches  
In buckets of rain  
And swash and sweep it  
Blue again.

Dorothy Aldis

Did you hear about the hostess who told her women guests as they were about to depart: "Now be careful driving, girls, I simply doused the salad with wine vinegar."?

**DAFFYNITION** — Marriage is an institution of higher learning where a man gives up his bachelors degree and gets himself a master.

Heard an ol' timer say recently: "Women's slacks don't come in odd sizes — they just get that way from wear."

A young co-ed looked dreamily at the ceiling and declared, "The man I marry must be an outstanding personality, sing and dance, be a musician, tell jokes, stay home, neither drink nor smoke, and be quiet when I tell him to." Her friend, looked for his hat, and said as he was going out, "Lady, you don't want a husband; you want a television."

I have yet to find a book that fascinates children quite as much as the new Christmas mail order catalog.

**Small Words** — With Power TO DO — Each day we have a chance "to do" — good, no good, nothing or something — not only for ourselves but for those we come in contact with each day. What is your choice?

There is a sign on the bulletin board of the Clinton, Ky., school where Alton Barkley earned spending money in his youth as assistant janitor. It reads, "Al Barkley swept here."

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK** — Let prayer be the key of the morning, and the bolt of the evening.

— Matthew Henry.

## flannel shirts

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## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Princeton, Iowa.

The Town Council of Princeton, Iowa, met in regular session October 4, 1954. Mayor Ken Purington presiding. Present: Peitscher, Litscher, Suiter, Wilkinson, Woomert.

Treasurer's Report: Receipts A. H. Putnam \$303.00, Road Use Tax \$145.56, Ernie Pruest \$5.00, Bank Balance \$1062.67 Moved by Suiter, seconded by Litscher that Treasurer's Report be approved. All yeas. Motion carried.

Bills Presented:  
John Mohlman  
Street labor ..... \$41.50

Glen O. Brown  
Marshall's salary ..... \$60.00  
Princeton Telephone Co.  
Sept. telephone bill ..... \$4.40

Joe Hobart  
Street labor ..... \$10.50  
Harry H. Meiner  
Road oil ..... \$132.00  
State Permit Board

Beer permit ..... \$3.00  
Ia. Emp. See Com.  
FOAB Tax ..... \$16.92  
Ia.-Ill Gas & Elec. Co.

Lights ..... \$61.00  
Moved by Woomert, seconded by Wilkinson that bills be approved. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Suiter, seconded by Peitscher that application for beer permit by Trading Post Tavern be approved. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Wilkinson, seconded by Woomert that the rule requiring an ordinance to be read on three separate days be dispensed with. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Peitscher, seconded by Litscher that the following be passed: Ordinance vacating the North 12 feet of the West 60 feet of that part of Clay Street lying between the East line of Front Street or Camanche Road in the Town of Princeton, Iowa, and low water mark of the Mississippi River, and authorizing the execution and delivery of a Quit Claim Deed for said vacated strip. Yeas: Peitscher, Litscher, Wilkinson, Woomert. Nays: Suiter. Motion carried.

Moved by Wilkinson, seconded by Peitscher that meeting adjourn. All yeas. Motion carried.

Harriet A. Shaw, Town Clerk.

### ORDINANCE

Ordinance vacating the North 12 feet of the West 60 feet of that part of Clay Street lying between the East line of Front Street or Camanche Road in the Town of Princeton, Iowa, and low water mark of the Mississippi River, and authorizing the execution and delivery of a Quit Claim Deed for said vacated strip.

Be it enacted by the Town Council of the Town of Princeton, Iowa:

Section 1. That the North 12 feet of the West 60 feet of that part of Clay Street lying between the East line of Front Street or Camanche Road in the Town of Princeton, Iowa, and low water mark of the Mississippi River, be and the same is hereby vacated.

Section 2. That the Mayor and Town Clerk be and they are hereby authorized and directed to execute a Quit Claim Deed in the name of said Town of Princeton, Iowa for the tract of land described in Section 1 hereof, to George Beuse, upon payment by him to said Town of Princeton, Iowa, of the sum of \$10.00.

Passed and approved this 4th day of October, A.D., 1954.  
(Signed) K. L. Purington  
Mayor.

Attest:  
(Signed) Harriet A. Shaw  
Town Clerk.

### CARD OF THANKS

The Presbyterian Church Workers wish to extend a sincere "Thank You" to the chairman of the supper committee, Mrs. Allen Elliott. Your untiring efforts in attending to every detail, your fine spirit of cooperation and gracious manner was much appreciated.

Co-workers.

# THE WEEKLY NEWS

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## Night Fire Damages LeClaire Tavern

### GEORGE E. UNDERWOOD PASSED AWAY FRIDAY

PRINCETON — George E. Underwood, 62, a life resident of Princeton Township passed away at his home near Princeton at 7 p. m. Friday. Mr. Underwood, a retired farmer, had been physically inactive the last 13 years.

He was born March 6, 1882, in Princeton Township. In 1915 he married Eva Oliver at Walnut Grove, Iowa. He was a member of Princeton Presbyterian Church.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Monday in the Shaduch Funeral Home in Clinton. The Rev. Jack Hicks of Calvary Chapel, LeClaire officiated. Interment was in Elmwood Cemetery, De Witt.

Surviving are his wife, son, Glenn at home, and a sister, Mrs. Alpha Helble of LeClaire.

### Desta A. Arkie Buried Saturday

Desta A. Arkie, age 50, died suddenly of a heart attack on Thursday in her home in Davenport.

Miss Arkie was born in McCausland, June 25, 1904, the daughter of Charles and Loreen Arkie.

Surviving are her father Charles of Princeton and two brothers, Dale, Davenport and Dayton of Princeton. Her mother preceded her in death October 9.

Services were held at 1:30 Saturday afternoon in the McGinnis funeral home. Burial was in Davenport Memorial Park.

### Halloween Prizes Awarded

The annual Halloween parade by Princeton school children provided participants and spectators with a festive mood in spite of the strong, chilly wind Friday afternoon.

Judged by Mrs. Harriet Shaw, Mrs. Paul Dennis and Mrs. Ira Schwab, costume winners were;

Kindergarten - Loren McFate and Virginia Helble.

First and second grades - Johnny Davis and Charlotte Tague.

Third and fourth grades - Charles Buckley and Nancy Santee.

Fifth and sixth grades - Sandra Domer, John Frazier and Roger Woomert.

Seventh and eighth grades - Carl Brunson and Beverly Miller.

Judged by the same ladies, poster winners were;

Second grade - Sandra Meekin.

Third and fourth grades - Caroline Gilbert and Sandra Long.

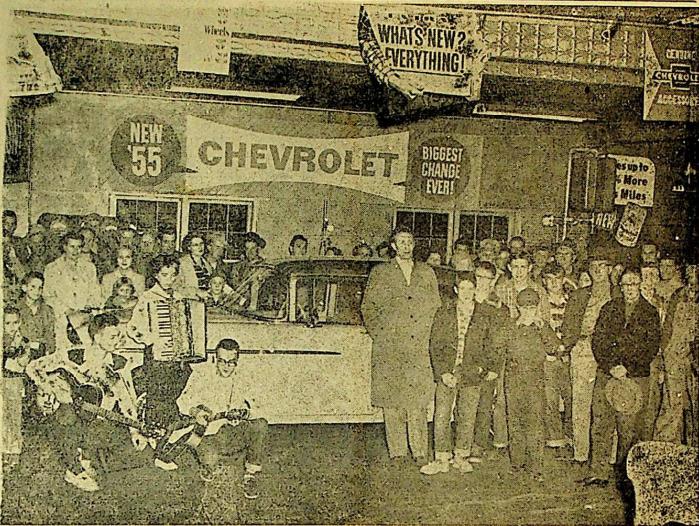
Fifth and sixth grades - Karen Jones and Randy Long.

Seventh and eighth grades - Lynne Evans and Connie Klemme.

Ice cream and balloons were given to the pupils by Mrs. Hirl of Hirl's Standard Station. Coffee and donuts were served to parents and teachers by the P. T. A.

ARGO — Alvin Bowker was taken suddenly ill last Tuesday evening and was rushed to St. Luke's hospital by ambulance.

He returned home on Friday and back to work in his store Saturday.



Part of the numerous viewers are shown gathered around the 1955 model Chevrolet at Lund's Garage in Princeton Thursday evening. Hilding Lund reported that this new model attracted a larger crowd than previous yearly showings. In the front, with musical instruments, are Novel Clemons, Joan Suiter and Keith Hayashihill — Trio supplied musical entertainment. Coffe and donuts were served and gifts presented.

### HIT - AND - RUN SOUTH OF PRINCETON

PRINCETON — Hilding Lund heard calls for help near his home about two miles south of Princeton at 7 p. m. Sunday and upon investigating found Louis Vanderschaaf of Orange City, Iowa, lying in a ditch seriously injured.

Apparently the victim of a hit-and-run driver the injured man was found in the ditch on the east side of highway 67 near the Lund home. Hilding notified the County sheriff's office and the man was removed to St. Luke's Hospital by ambulance. Herb Peitscher of Princeton was also called to help direct traffic until help arrived.

Reportedly, Vanderschaaf is in poor condition suffering from a fractured left leg and possible fracture of the skull.

Clinton and Scott County authorities are continuing their investigation centered around a motorist arrested near Cambanche for drunken driving.

### PRINCETON FIREMEN'S

### DANCE - NOVEMBER 12

PRINCETON — The 15th annual benefit dance will be sponsored by members of the Princeton Volunteer Fire Department Friday, November 12, in the Community Hall.

Musical will be the Sportsmen.

Tickets have been on sale for several weeks, but plenty more are still available.

### Mrs. Davis is Librarian

PRINCETON — Mrs. Ray Davis has been named librarian at the Princeton branch of the Scott County library.

The library situated in the Princeton town hall will be open from 3 to 5 p. m. on Monday and from 7 to 9 p. m. on Fridays.

### ARGO CHURCH TO HOLD SPECIAL SERVICES



Reverend William H. French

### HEBELEH — ANDERSON VOWS EXCHANGED

Miss Dorine Hebeleh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hebeleh, 2016 Rockingham Rd., Davenport and Clement Anderson, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henning of McCausland, were united in marriage Saturday, October 23, at 8:30 p. m. in St. Marks Lutheran church in Davenport. Rev. William Eller officiated.

Miss Dorothy Stender of Eldridge was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Reba Carber and Miss Delores Hebeleh, cousin of the bride, and Miss Shirley Fox of Davenport. Janis Bettes was the flower girl.

Donald Anderson was best man and ushers were Robert Hebeleh, John Miller and Harold Berger. Donald Stichter was the ring bearer.

Mrs. Anderson was graduated from Davenport high school and is employed at United Super Markets. Mr. Anderson is a graduate of DeWitt high school and is employed at the McCausland elevator.

### Brownies Had Party

Twenty-two members of the Brownie Troop met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vern K. Glewwe at 5:30 Thursday evening, for a Halloween party.

Barbecued Smokies, hot chocolate and individually decorated cup cakes were enjoyed by the group. (Mr. Glewwe was the chef at the barbecue.)

Outdoor games were played and each little guest received a taffy apple, balloon and Halloween candy.

The Pleasant Hill School, Mrs. Earl Benson, teacher had a Halloween Party last Friday evening. They had a 6:30 supper and following the supper a musical program and hayrack ride and a lot of Halloween fun. This included the parents and children of the district.

### Two Alarms on Weekend

LE CLAIRE — Shortly after the Oz and Irv's Tavern closed at midnight Saturday, fire was discovered by Larry Joens, 12, son of Irvin Joens, proprietor.

Young Joens was awakened, reportedly, in the upstairs apartment by the smell of smoke and summoned the fire department. Mr. and Mrs. Joens had left the tavern after closing, but were not at home, it was reported.

The fire which apparently started in the kitchen, was quickly brought under control by the LeClaire fire department. Over \$1,500, damage was caused by the blaze.

The tavern was opened six weeks ago. Formerly the building was occupied by Mohr's grocery.

The LeClaire department answered another alarm over the weekend. This was to a residence where an oil-burner had flared up.

### McCausland People

### Hurt In Accident

MC CAUSLAND — Mrs. Charles Dalton and daughter, Mrs. Vern Millhouse, are in DeWitt hospital due to injuries sustained Saturday, October 23, in a two-car collision at the Jake Hansen corner, west of town. Both incurred broken ribs, cuts and bruises.

The car in which they were riding was driven by Mrs. Dalton's daughter, Mrs. Louise Ragan of East Moline, Ill. She also received cuts. The driver of the other car, Harry Garrity of Davenport, was not injured.

Other occupants of the Ragan car were Mrs. Loren Dalton and daughter, Bonnie. They were treated at the hospital and released.

### Sergeant Maher

### Going To France

PRINCETON — Master Sergeant and Mrs. Robert T. Maher Jr., and children, Sheerl Rae and Robert T. III, have arrived in Princeton to visit with their parents.

Sergeant Maher is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Maher and Mrs. Maher, Jr. is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wood.

More recently the Sergeant has been assigned to the Georgia air base in California. He will return November 10 for overseas duty in Shamley, France. The assignment will be for fourteen months and his family will follow later, if possible to do so.

Sergeant Maher served for three years as a tail-gunner during World War II. He re-enlisted and was in Japan for two years. While serving in Japan, his family joined him and it was there that their son, Robert T. III was born. He also spent a year in Korea.

The Rev. and Mrs. Richard Otten attended a synodical convention and Youth Committee meeting last week in Des Moines.



## WEEKLY NEWS

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### Think It Over!

#### To err' is human —

In last week's issue there was an over abundance of printing errors. No excuses—no alibies—just try to do better in future issues.

#### Election is over —

Now that we know — who our state and county officers are for the next two years, it should be timely to remind them not to forget that there is also a Northeast corner in the county.

#### Home talent shows —

Friday nite the cast of "Flying High" ran through a script rehearsal at the I.O.O.F. hall. I was there for a short time to get a news picture.

It has been a long time since I have been behind the scenes of a home-talent presentation, but judging from what was observed there will be plenty of laughs.

If you need a good sidesplitting laugh, — and who doesn't, — see the show.

#### Musical Trio —

Thursday evening during the showing of the new Chevrolet at Lund's, a recently formed trio of musicians provided the entertainment. Jo Ann Suiter on the accordian, backed up by Kiehl Havenhill and Norvel Clemons on electric Spanish guitars, can give out with popular, folk or western tunes. They also provided music at the Booster's dinner. You'll be hearing lots more of this musical trio.

#### Center line painted —

In case you are wondering why the State Highway Commission workmen were "flagging" northbound traffic on Route 67 at Hirl's corner — it was to advise motorist not to cross the freshly painted center line.

#### BUICK special —

About 2:20 Friday afternoon a nine-car special train of the Milwaukee Road passed through Princeton and LeClaire headed for Kansas City. The train carried dealers from a three state area for the annual display of the new Buicks.

#### ROUTE 67 ? ? ? —

Davenport is finishing at least part of the River Street project, with state aid, this fall and two or three more weeks of good weather should see the completion of Route 61.

How much longer are we going to risk lives and ruin cars bouncing over Route 67, between Riverville and the Big Hill?

#### Gloomy return trip —

Over the weekend a special train (varnished cars as Art Pietscher calls em') passed through here enroute from Wisconsin to Iowa City, with the Badgers and rooter's. We can well imagine it was a more jovial crowd going than returning, after being beaten by Iowa's Hawkeyes.

## COFFEE TIME

by

Leona Farley

### COOK of the WEEK

October turned my maple leaves to gold. The most are gone now; here and there one lingers; Soon these will slip from out the twig's weak hold, Like coins between a dying miser's fingers. T. B. Aldrich — "Maple Leaves"

Yes, October the color month, is gone but before us we have November — the month in which we give thanks for having had the other eleven. So, with that in mind let us go fix a pot of coffee and enjoy it together.

The children are beginning to play inside more and more as these November days grow colder. With this in mind, I'd like to pass along an interesting game I heard about recently that the school-age children can play. Yes, Mom and Dad, too.

Pick out a word like "bread" — better start with a four letter word to begin the game. Assign each player to make up a sentence using the letters in the word. For instance, in using the word "bread" the sentence might be "Billy's Rabbit Eats and Drinks." Each member will probably come up with a different sentence, some of which may prove to be very amusing. Have fun.

DAFFYNITION — Co-ed — is a girl who works her father thru college.

When you go on a motor trip and need to pack hubbies neckties so they will be wrinkle-free, just fold them flat in a magazine.

Your temper is one thing that improves the longer you can keep it.

If you have an oilcloth on your kitchen table that has become too worn at the corners for further use, don't throw it away as it can be very usefully made into a clothes basket liner.

Are you or the children ever in the predicament of needing some paste around home but none can be found? A friend of mine passed along a recipe for home-made paste that is not supposed to mold or discolor the paper. Take 1 T. each of starch and flour and add a little boiling water. Let stand for a moment, then add more water and stir while cooking until the mixture becomes thick. This paste will also spread smoothly and stick well.

Three inmates of a prison found themselves in a cell together for the first time. They were all silent until bed-time. Finally one of the men said to the other "How long are you in for?" "For 100 years," he replied. "How many are you in for?" "Ninety years," the first answered. "And how many years do you have to go?" he asked of the third member. "Seventy-five years," replied he. "O. K. then," said the first, "you get the bed by the door cause you'll be getting out first."

### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

The child's mind is like wax to receive and granite to hold impressions. —Anon.

### COOK of the WEEK

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### MINNIE KLEEBURG

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After reading the recipes that Minnie (Mrs. Harry) Kleeburg of Princeton sent to me this week, all I could think was "where's my gun? I'm going to get me a duck!" I believe you will feel the same way.

A very active lady, Minnie is a member of the Iowa Woman's Press Association, serves as secretary of the Scott County Federated Woman's club and is blind relief chairman of the LeClaire Woman's club. She is also active with the Scott County Library.

Her family includes, a daughter, Joan (Mrs. Lyle) Jenkins of Decatur, Ill., and a son, John, who is serving with the army air corps and at present is stationed at St. Mihiel, France. There is also one grandson, Michael Jenkins. Also considered a member of the family is their black cocker spaniel by the name of Corkey Ann.

Following are Minnie's drool-in-good recipes:

### GOLDEN BROWN

#### WILD DUCK with Wild Rice

Thoroughly pick and wash the ducks. Sprinkle their interiors with salt and pepper and place therein one stalk of celery (without leaves), half an onion and half an apple per duck. Arrange duck with breast down in roasting pan and add  $\frac{1}{2}$  C. of water to pan. Have oven preheated at 400 degrees then put duck into oven. After 15 minutes remove pan and drain off water (removing water drains off any strong flavor ducks may have).

Place ducks breast down on roasting rack in pan and put a strip of bacon over each duck. Then add basting juice which consists of: (these ingredients are for roasting three ducks at one time.) 2 T. butter, 1 C. orange juice and 1 C. dry red wine. Roast 15 more minutes, basting every 7 minutes.

Then turn ducks BREAST UP. Place two additional strips of bacon on each duck. Roast at 350 degrees for  $2\frac{1}{2}$  hours, basting every 15 minutes. Cut in half and serve very hot. (The wine basting may be omitted and water used instead.)

### WILD RICE

A regal side dish with the ducks would be wild rice cooked with mushrooms and toasted chopped almonds. If you cannot obtain wild rice, use brown rice. Brown rice should be soaked in tepid water for an hour before cooking.

Use at least 2 quarts of salted water to 1 C. of rice, boiling the water and adding the rice slowly so as not to stop the boiling. Cook 20 to 30 minutes, then drain thoroughly, steam if necessary. If using wild rice, just boil it until the grains open up, then drain and steam. Sauté the rice slightly in butter. Also sauté the sliced mushrooms in butter and pour over the rice. Toast blanched almonds in butter until brown; chop and sprinkle over rice and mushrooms. The rice may also be served in the form of a ring with the mushrooms and almonds poured over.

### LeClaire Mother's Organize

LE CLAIRE — Mothers of World War II Veterans were organized in LeClaire at a business meeting held Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Ruth Brown.

Mae Sauter was elected the organization's president. Other officers are; Martha Greenlee, vice-president; Ruth Brown, treasurer and Marietta Bennett, secretary.

The next meeting will be at 1:30 p.m. November 10 in the Legion Hall. All Mothers of World War II veterans are invited to attend.

### Princeton Mothers Met

PRINCETON — Mothers of World War II met at the home of Mrs. Feryl Clemons on Monday evening, October 25. Five more mothers joined the organization.

Additional officers were elected as follows; Florence Dennis, 2nd vice-president, Florence Littrel, financial secretary, Leila Hoepfner, chaplin, Beula Havenhill, historian and Leone Ruhberg, sergeant-at-arms.

Installation of officers will be on November 16 at 7:30 p.m. at Pains. The public is invited.

### Mrs. Harry Kleeburg Attends Convention

PRINCETON — Mrs. Harry Kleeburg attended the Iowa Library Convention held in Cedar Rapids, October 21 and 22. Mrs. Kleeburg was appointed publicity chairman for the second year. She is also serving as secretary of the Scott County library board of trustee's.

### Don Kolsrud

#### On Football Team

LE CLAIRE — Don Kolsrud of Le Claire is a guard on the Iowa State Teachers College football squad. Kolsrud has been used by Coach Buck Starbuck as a spot player this year, filling in at either guard position.

In the Spring, Don, who throws the discus and shot will go after his third Panther track letter.

### Altar and Rosary Society Plan Church Supper

LE CLAIRE — A family pot luck supper by the Altar and Rosary Society of St. Henry's parish will be held November 10 at 6:15 p.m. for members of the church.

Officers of the society were announced; President, Mrs. Rudolph Strieck, Mrs. Robert Benson, vice-president, Mrs. Geno Jenkins, secretary and treasurer is Mrs. Richard Fort.

### Princeton Twp. Farm Bureau Women Met

Mrs. Dwight Robb was hostess Wednesday afternoon to nine Princeton township farm bureau ladies. Mrs. Lettie Zueber presented the lesson, "Understanding The Teenagers" and Mrs. Orville Stewart was in charge of business.

Mrs. Stewart was elected to attend the annual convention November 15, 16 and 17 in Des Moines.

Mrs. Harry Mc Connell and Mrs. C. D. Moorhead were chosen to attend the belt buckle training school in Davenport. Mrs. Ralph Porter will have the next meeting, Friday November 19, beginning at 10:30 a. m. and Basket Weaving will be shown.

### LeClaire Farm Bureau Women Met

Seventeen women attended the LeClaire Farm Bureau meeting last Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Alvin Bowker. They were very much interested in learning to weave baskets. The next meeting will be on November 18, in the home of Mrs. Donald Holst.

# CHURCHES

**ZION LUTHERAN**

Princeton  
Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN**

Princeton  
Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**ST JAMES CATHOLIC**

Princeton  
Father Tom Taylor  
Masses  
Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

**METHODIST**

McCauley  
Rev. Charles H. Stange,  
Minister  
Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN**

Argo  
Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale  
Pastor  
Sunday Services:  
Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Bible School 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services 7:00 p.m.  
The Pioneer and Builder Youth  
groups meet at the same hour.  
Midweek Services:  
Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

**COFFEE (TIME) overflows**

Two weeks ago we had one very fine recipe which was not printed in the COOK of the Week column. The recipe was supplied by Alta Wright.

**PICKLE RELISH**

6 C. chopped green tomatoes  
6 C. ripe tomatoes peeled and  
chopped

4 C. chopped onions

2 C. chopped celery

1 C. chopped red peppers

1 C. chopped green peppers

2 C. chopped cabbage

1/4 C. salt

Mix all together and let stand over nite. Then pour into strainer and drain thoroughly.

Syrup mixture follows:

6 C. vinegar

6 C. sugar

2 t. cinnamon

1 t. cloves

1-3 C. white mustard seed  
(if unavailable use all yellow)

1 T. yellow mustard seed

Mix ingredients and add  
drained vegetables. Simmer  
45 minutes or until thick.

**DRESSING, ANY ONE**

With Thanksgiving to be with us in three weeks, we are looking for some good dressing, or stuffing if you prefer, recipes I know most of you have a recipe you probably use year after year, and I would like to be able to share it with you and our other friends of Coffee Time. So get out your pencil and paper; jot down the ingredients, and send it along to me. The week before Thanksgiving I plan to run a whole column on favorite dressing recipes. I hope yours will be among them. My address is Leon Farley, Route 1, LeClaire.

**CALVARY CHAPEL**

LeClaire  
Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC**

LeClaire  
Father Francis Duncan  
Masses  
Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**

LeClaire  
Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

**GOSPEL TABERNACLE**

LeClaire  
Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor  
Worship Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

**BAPTIST**

LeClaire  
Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Christian  
Life 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Choir practice 6:45 p.m.  
Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

Type can't be compressed once it is set, so to use an allotted space, the only alternative is to pull a portion. This we did last week, but we didn't go quite far enough. Now that you have dangled for a week, here is the complete paragraph, the first few lines of which appeared in COFFEE TIME.

In connection with the above subject, I remember reading a little poem written by a man (his name escapes me) that went something like this:

Perk hats and chic dresses  
In our house cause financial  
messes.

But guns, golf clubs and  
rifles

Can be marked off as trifles.

Ever notice how some husbands who will walk a mile for a cigarette, can not make it across the living room for an ash tray.

Jimmy Durante once announced proudly that he had won a tango contest. "Here's a picture of me, the goil and the silver cup to prove it," he continued.

"That ain't no goil," scoffed his drummer, Jack Roth. "That's a kangaroo."

Durante clapped his hands to his sides. "That explains everything," he cried. "I thought I was jumpin' mighty high a couple times!"

After you have cut a cake,

place a piece of bread next to

the cut part of the cake and

pin it with a toothpick. The

air, this way, strikes the bread

and leaves cake slices fresh.

## Greeting Cards

WHEN YOUR FRIENDS HAVE A BIRTHDAY,  
ANNIVERSARY, ILLNESS OR A NEW BABY  
You can always find an appropriate card in our  
OPEN DISPLAY RACK

**Boll's**

GENERAL MERCHANDISE



It is the cast of FLYING HIGH, even though one member, Wesley Schmalz, isn't flying so high at the moment. Giving attention to the prone actor are Joan Suiter (left) and Beulah Havenhill (right). Standing, left to right, Robert Porter, Rozella West, Gloria Wolfe, Carol Ann Beuse, Robert Carter, Robert McClinton and David McLaughlin. The play will be presented at Community Hall, Friday and Saturday.

**Degrees Conferred**

By Rebekahs

PRINCETON—Mrs. Anne Beuse was in charge of business at the regular meeting of Echo Rebekah Lodge Thursday night. 54 attended with visitors from Davenport, LeClaire and LowMoar.

The Princeton Degree Staff under the direction of Mrs. Roy D. Holst, conferred the Degree, on Dorothy Graham of LeClaire; Mabel Hillman, Dorothy Carter, Ruth Hehnke, and Ellen Robbins of Davenport and Marlene Rogers and Rhoda Evans of Princeton.

All members were given tickets to sell for the show "Flying High" and Baby Popularity contest.

The chairman announced \$65 was made at the recent benefit dance.

An oyster supper for all members and their families will be held Tuesday nite, November 30 in the I O O F hall.

The district delegate to the state Assembly will give her report at the next meeting on November 11.

## Attend . . .

# "Flying High"

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P. F. C. Dallas L. Gilbert and friend P. F. C. Robert Aune in Tokyo, Japan. Dallas better known as "LaVerne" made his home at the Ray D. Holst farm for five years prior to entering the service in October 1953. LaVerne has two more years of service and enjoys his leisure time driving his little car and writing letters. He writes that the car enables him to look the country over, but enjoys the letters from Princeton folks. LaVerne will be glad to answer any questions about Tokyo, or spend some time locating information anyone would care to know.

P. F. C. Dallas L. Gilbert  
R. A. 55387727 Biling Section  
8232 A. U.  
A. P. O. - 500 co P. M.  
San Francisco, California



The Princeton school Conservation Club entered this float in the Davenport Mardi Gras parade Saturday night.

### PRINCETON

Mrs. Viola Sobatka and four-year old daughter, Joan, from Daytona Beach, Fla., have been visiting with the Finn Gunn's and Al Grosz's the past week. Mrs. Sobatka is a sister of Finn Gunn and a niece of Al Grosz. She returned with Finn a week ago from South Dakota where she had been visiting their parents.

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kleeburg that their son, Lt. "Hank" Kleeburg has arrived in Europe. Hank left Westover airfield in Massachusetts on October 8, flying by way of the Azores. He is now stationed in Saint Mihiel, France.

Seventeen friends of Marvin Grosz, Dennis McFate and Randy Long enjoyed a Halloween party a week ago Tuesday in the basement of Allen's barbershop. Games were played and refreshments were served by Marvin, Dennis and Randy.

### McCausland

**By**  
Miss Anna McKinney

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frank and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swartz of Oconomowoc, Wisconsin and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Witter of Preston, Iowa, visited the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Grelf.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Ploog left Wednesday for the Ozarks where they will spend a week. Mr. Ploog just returned home from DeWitt hospital, where he had been a patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Flenker and Mrs. Oscar Ting left Wednesday for Elizabethtown, Kentucky, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. William Flenker. William a member of the Armed Forces is stationed at a camp there.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Drum are the parents of a baby girl born Thursday at DeWitt hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gailyn Clark are moving to Davenport Monday, will reside at 1110 east 10th St.

Mrs. George Harderson and son Tommy of Clinton visited in the home of Mrs. Harderson father, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mowat.

Mrs. Ida Porter of near De Witt, mother of Mrs. Walter Helble is critically ill at this writing.

### Argo

**By**  
Mrs. Laura Gast

There were ten people from the Argo Church who attended the Christian Education Workshop in the Moline Church Tuesday afternoon and evening. They report a very interesting meeting.

Miss Jessie Crawford formerly of Argo now living in the Washington Home at Washington, Iowa spent the weekend and through Wednesday in Davenport. While here she attended the Centennial celebration at the McClellan Heights U. P. Church, Davenport.

Mr. Lillie Fletcher who spent the past week in Valencia, Pennsylvania, with her granddaughter and family, returned home last Monday evening.

Court Spinsby who recently purchased the Indiana School house, moved it Wednesday noon to its new location on the Spinsby farm.

A Halloween Party was held at the Cody Elementary School Friday, October 29th. All the children took part in the costume parade. Refreshments were served after the parade.

There will be no school Thursday and Friday, November 4th and 5th due to a meeting in Des Moines which the teachers are attending. The school is very proud to have a new piano.

Thursday, November 4th the L. O. A. Class of the Argo Church meets in the home of Mrs. Eldon Fletcher. Mrs. Alvin Bowker is the leader. Don't forget our Congregational church supper to be held

in the church basement, Friday evening, November 5th at 6:30 p. m. Those with birthdays in November and December will sit at a special table.

Daniel D. Wolfe of Pittsburg, Pa., the Secretary of Adult Work in our U. P. Board of Administration was the speaker in the Argo Church last Sunday morning.

Eleven from the Argo U. P. Church attended the Presbyterian Youth Rally at Columbus City U. P. Church last Sunday evening. They report a very fine program.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wootten of Burlington, Iowa, Mrs. Ella Henry and Mrs. Dorothy Brown of Davenport and Mrs. Bertha Aufiff of LeClaire were guests for dinner last Saturday evening in the home of Mrs. Gladys Henry.

Sergeant Samuel Wilson, stationed in Maryland, spent last weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wright. He made the roundtrip by plane, returning last Monday evening.

Mrs. Simeon Bowley is improving in Mercy Hospital where she was taken three weeks ago with a broken hip and wrist.

**Princeton**  
**By**  
Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Cole have moved into their newly constructed home at the Nick Siem farm. They have been residing in Follett's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm Jones of Letts spent Thursday night in the C. B. Oakes home. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Barney Parrish. Mr. Jones formerly farmed here.

The Senior Leaguers sponsored a skating party at the Trio which was well attended. The next meeting of this group is November 7.

The Junior Leaguers had a happy time Sunday night at

a Costume Halloween party in the home of Lois Staack.

The Junior Confirmation Class meets at 4 o'clock each Thursday. The church council met at 7:30 Wednesday in the church.

A special Reformation Service was held at 7:30 p. m. Sunday in St. Marks Lutheran Church in Davenport where Dr. Traub of Omaha was guest speaker.

Rev. Ottens would like the addresses of all our service men. Call Princeton 63.

John Oakes of Pittsburg was an unexpected visitor in the Claude Oakes home Tuesday. He and his wife are visiting a daughter near Des Moines and will be dinner guests Sunday here at the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Oakes and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Oakes visited relatives and friends Sunday in Columbus Junction.

Ginger Striecher celebrated her birthday party in her home with school girl friends in attendance. The girls attended the Junior Youth Halloween party in the evening.

Mrs. Joe Wilkinson has returned home from St. Luke's hospital and improved.

WM Rogers, local postmaster, attended the celebration in Camanche honoring the local postmistress, there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Porter visited the WM McClehan home Tuesday in Moline. Mrs. McClehan, who underwent surgery recently is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Faur and Mrs. Mary Dannatt of Davenport were dinner guests Sunday in the Porter home.

Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Ralston were happy to welcome home their younger son, Gaylord, who has completed four years in the Navy, most of the time spent in sea duty in the Far East. Another son, Darvan and family are on furlough from Alabama. A daughter, Jolee

and baby are spending a month at home.

Arthur Stichter is improving after a fall a month ago. His broken heel had caused much pain but is improved.

Bob Lundholm was in Honolulu last week enroute to Japan.

### LeClaire

**By**  
Mrs. Elmer Hussett

Mr. and Mrs. James Kirkpatrick of Moulton, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grimes of Derby, Ia., and Larry Heintze of Iowa University, were weekend visitors at the William Heintze home. Mrs. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Grimes are sisters of Mrs. Heintze.

Mrs. Ivan Johnson of Tennessee, Ill., and Mrs. Cecil McCubbins of Davenport visited over the weekend at the homes of William Daugherty and James Roberts. Mrs. Johnson is the mother of William Daugherty and a sister of Mr. Roberts. Mrs. McCubbins is a sister of William Daugherty.

Mary Lou Obrien and her sister Mrs. Dorothy Daugherty visited Mrs. Henry Schmidt in Bennett on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Youngers entertained at a Halloween supper in their home Saturday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Youngers and daughter of Princeton and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gibson of LeClaire. Mrs. Gibson is a sister of Mrs. Wayne Youngers.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Meyer and Lee Dannatt visited over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Holmes in Marion, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wickham are parents of a baby boy born Saturday.

William Dearing underwent surgery Wednesday in a Davenport hospital.

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## Harvest Home Service In Argo Church

### LE CLAIRE HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL RESULTS

By Jan McCollam

LECLAIRE—The boy's and girls' basketball teams journeyed to Buffalo, Friday night for the host's homecoming game.

LeClaire's girls defeated the Buffalo team 36 to 25. Kaye Parrick topped in free-throws by hitting 15 out of 22 trips. This win makes it, two wins and one defeat for the LeClaire girls.

Regulars on the girls team are; Babe Thompson, Evalie Brockhouse and Kaye Parrick, forwards; Grace Randolph, Jan McCollam, and Joyce Dresse are guards.

In an exciting boy's game the line up was; as follows, Eldon Kitchen, Bruce Filbrandt and Homer Latimer, guards, Eddie Mohr and Dick Gately.

At the end of the fourth quarter the score was tied 48 all, and during the overtime period Buffalo scored to win 50 to 48.

Andrew cancelled the game with LeClaire which was scheduled or Monday night November 15 in LeClaire.

Tuesday night Durant's boys won over LeClaire, 71 to 34. LeClaire's girls also lost to Durant, 49 to 28.

Friday night the teams will go to Baldwin, for another double-header.

### Luana Debs Club

Nancy Elliott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Elliott, was elected president of the Luana Debs Club at a busy session held Tuesday evening in the home of Peggy Kessler in Clinton.

Plans were made for the Winter Deb dance and names for the dance were suggested.

A group of the debs were house guests of Nancy Friday night and attended the Princeton firemen's dance.

Nancy is also president of the Clinton high school Pep Club which takes an active part in all the athletic meets held at the high school.

### MARSDEN — GOLDEN

Billie Marsden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Bennett LeClaire, will be married to Capt. W. G. Golden, U.S.A.F., at 7 p.m., Friday, November 29 in the LeClaire Presbyterian Church.

Billie attended LeClaire and Princeton schools and is a graduate of Alhambra High School in Martinez, California.

Capt. Golden is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Golden, Sr. of Martinez. He is a graduate of Long Beach High School and the University of California College of Agriculture at Davis. He served as a bomber pilot in World War II, returned to active duty in 1951, and is now making the Air Force his career.

After a brief honeymoon in Chicago the couple will reside in Albuquerque, New Mexico, where Capt. Golden is now stationed.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Lost Grove school pupils, under the direction of their teacher, Mildred Holst, will present a program at the school at 7:30 p.m., November 22. The public is invited.



Pheasant hunting season opened with a bang! Many local hunters bagged their birds on opening-day, as did these Princeton hunters. Standing, from left to right, Finn Gunn, Mrs. Eldon Mess, Dale Domer and Gayle Dannatt. In front are Eldon Mess and Mrs. Dale Domer.

### Elected To School Office



Roberta Fletcher

PRINCETON — Roberta Fletcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vallie Fletcher and a freshman at Cornell College, has been elected to the Associated Women Student organization.

The legislative and executive body for Cornell's feminine students is composed of the presidents of the women's dormitories and one representative from each class. Miss Fletcher is the freshman representative.

### Girl Scouts Met

PRINCETON — Thirteen Girl Scouts met in the home of their leader, Mrs. Dale Domer, Wednesday for their regular meeting.

The girls darned stockings and talked about projects of making aprons and later skirts will be made. Sewing boxes were brought to the meeting. Many of the troop members have made pin cushions.

There was also a drawing of names, for secret pals.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beuse of Princeton announced the engagement of their daughter, Gladys Joan, to John E. Biles, 2923 West Second street, Davenport, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Biles, Franklin, Kentucky.

The private ceremony will be December 12 at 4 p.m. in the Princeton Lutheran Church, after which there will be a family dinner in the home of the bride-elect's parents.

A reception will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. in the bride-to-be parents home which friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Mrs. August Erling, sister of Miss Beuse, will be matron of honor and Mrs. Donald Lynch, Davenport will be brides matron.

Donald Lynch of Davenport will serve as best man.

Miss Beuse is employed by Lewis C. Kingscott Association in Davenport. Mr. Biles is an employee of H. O. Seiffert Lumber Company, Davenport.

### LeClaire Wowan's Club

LE CLAIRE — A demonstration on figurine painting was presented by Patti Rossi at the November meeting of the LeClaire Woman's Club. Miss Rossi is from the Polka Dot shop in Davenport.

There were \$11. realized from the candy, cookie and apron sale. The Chorus sponsored a bake sale at the city hall in LeClaire on Friday. Hostesses for the day were Mesdames DeWitt Bragonier, Duane Smith and Harvey Phillips.

The next meeting will be on December 7. A musical program will be presented by the Chorus and there will be a gift exchange.

The Woman's Club would like to obtain the address of all service men and women of this area. Notify Mrs. Clarence Norton in LeClaire.

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED



Gladys Joan Beuse

### FATHER AND SON ESCAPES INJURY

PRINCETON — Edward Holst escaped injury Wednesday when his '54 model car turned over west of Princeton. His son, Bobbie, who was also a passenger in the car, was not injured.

The mishap occurred about one-and-a-half miles south of the county H road sub-station. It was reported that Holst swerved to miss some livestock on the road. He lost control of the car which went into the ditch and turned over.

Thirty three members of women of the Zion Lutheran Church met in the home of Mrs. Hilding Lund with Mrs. Eddie Holst assisting. Mrs. Jones had the Topic "Where The Coats Went".

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### ANNUAL CHURCH SERVICE

The Annual Harvest Home Service of the Argo Church will be held Sunday evening at 7:00 p.m. The LeClaire township 4-H Clubs will be special guests and have parts in the service. The program will include a motion picture and a talk by the pastor, Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale.

The Harvest Home Service is an annual event and is observed in many churches throughout the country. It is sponsored by the farm organizations.

There will be special music and the reading of a message from Howard Hill, president of the Iowa Farm Bureau.

### WINTER KARNIVAL

Sponsored By P. T. A.

PRINCETON — The Parent Teachers Association will sponsor a Winter Karnaval at the school on Friday, November 19.

Pupils in the various rooms will present programs which are scheduled to give everyone an opportunity to visit all the rooms.

7:00 p.m. ....	3rd and 4th
7:20 p.m. ....	Kindergarten
7:40 p.m. ....	7th and 8th
8:10 p.m. ....	1st
8:30 p.m. ....	2nd
8:50 p.m. ....	5th and 6th

There is no admission charge and the public is invited.

A contest to select a King and Queen is now underway with pupils in the first and second grades participating.

Proceeds are to be used to purchase school play-ground equipment.

### TRUCKS GO — NO FIRE

PRINCETON — The siren blew about 5 p.m. Monday and the usual scurry of volunteers followed — some racing to get the trucks rolling, others to the scene of the fire.

All of Princeton's fire equipment - two trucks and the tanker - pulled up to the Doyle home, situated west of St. James church, but there was no evidence of a fire inside, as reported. The Doyle's were not at home. Across the street a pile of leaves were burning.

Reportedly, Mrs. Mabel Brunson happened to look at the Doyle house and it appeared to her that the interior was ablaze. She wisely turned in an alarm.

Fire Chief Herb Peitscher arrived at the scene ahead of the trucks, but was unable to locate a fire. He phoned the telephone exchange to confirm the location. The chief reports that the house windows had reflected the blaze from the burning leaves and it did look very convincing.

### Car Skids On Gravel

PRINCETON — Sunday afternoon Frances Ann Santee, daughter of John Santee Jr., was enroute from her home to Princeton when the car she was driving skidded on some loose gravel and overturned in a ditch.

The accident happened west of Princeton on county road H. Miss Santee, who was alone, was not injured. Al's Garage was called to remove the car.

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## Think It Over!

### 4-H Clubs —

The big news the past week in 4-H club circles, was the county convention held in Davenport.

Combined efforts, as a team, was recognized by way of awards presented to township clubs. Individual efforts were also rewarded, through achievements awards to members.

We extend congratulations to the clubs and their members — for a job well done!

### Winter Karnival —

HURRY! HURRY! HURRY! The main attraction is about to start on the inside! In case you haven't guessed — that is a barker's lingo.

There will be plenty of the carnival atmosphere, Friday evening at the Princeton school when the P. T. A. sponsors its Winter Karnival.

The proceeds will be used to purchase play-ground equipment for the school.

Programs have been scheduled for the various rooms. Don't bother to eat at home because there will be plenty to eat on the midway. A King and Queen, selected from the first two grades, will be crowned. All of this plus other attractions.

It will all add up to an entertaining evening — so, plan to attend!

### Book Week —

Did you know that there are over 1000 books from which to choose in each of the libraries at Le Claire and Princeton?

The libraries are operated as branches of the Scott County library and function through the library at Eldridge. There is also a mobile unit as part of the county-wide operation.

In addition to children's books there are many adult fiction as well as non-fiction books, in almost every field. Magazines may also be taken-out.

School children, it is reported, are taking full advantage of these public facilities. Adults are also invited to use the service.

If the desired subjects are not available, locally, they will be secured from Eldridge or the Davenport public library, for you.

We are fortunate to have these facilities — many areas are not so equipped. The best expression of appreciation is evidenced in the way we use these important facilities.

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

If you want your membership and public events listed in the Community Calendar please mail us a card or telephone Princeton 78. It's open to all.

**November 19, Friday** — Princeton Parent - Teachers Association, Winter Karnival, 6:30 p.m. at the school.

Princeton township Farm Bureau women, regular meeting, Mrs. Ralph Porter home.

**November 20, Saturday** — Summit Presbyterian Church, God's acre sale at 1 p.m.

**December 7, Tuesday** — LeClaire Woman's Club, regular meeting, Presbyterian church annex.

## COFFEE TIME

by  
Leona Farley

From snow to spring-like weather, and when you read this — well, when it comes to weather your guess is as good as mine, what it will be — so let us rest a few minutes and enjoy our cup of coffee.

Many wonderful scientific inventions have been made possible in our century but nothing has yet been invented that could measure the infinitesimal part of a second, that passes by from the time the light turns green until the man behind her honks his horn.

When butter is too hard to be used easily, instead of putting it on the stove to melt, heat a bowl or pan and place over the butter.

Have a little girl on that Christmas list? Buy a pack of the regular sized tea towels, cut in half and hem. Then stamp, embroider or paint the days of the week on them for use in doing her dishes. Small Mother Goose characters could also be drawn in one corner.

**DAFFYNITION — Accident** — what could happen when a motorist hugs the wrong curves while driving.

Next week is Thanksgiving — have you your menu planned — are you having the family gathering at your house or are you going home to Mom and Dad's? I hope all of you, as you sit down to that table laden with so many, many good things will try to remember to say a prayer of thanks, even if it be just a sentence let HIM know.

**Recipe for a good day**

Take two parts of unselfishness and one part of patience and work together. Add plenty of industry. Lighten with good spirits and sweeten with kindness. Put in smiles as thick as raisins in plum pudding and bake by the warmth which streams from a loving heart. If this fails to make a good day, the fault is not with the recipe, but with the cook.

**THIS IS BOOK WEEK —**

How many of you have visited your library lately for a good book? Libraries and the books they carry therein on the shelves are as important to a community as the school, church and local government, so give it your support. The library is no dull, tomb of a place because the books, which have been written, on almost any subject or country in the world, makes it an exciting wonderland. Here we have library facilities both in LeClaire and Princeton, and if you can not find a book you are looking for I'm sure the librarians will be happy to get it for you.

Thought For The Week:

As is a tale, so is life: not how long it is, but how good it is, is what matters. —Seneca.

### TOMATO SAUCE

2 T. flour  
2 T. butter  
1 C. tomato juice  
Salt, pepper and sugar to taste.  
Dash of paprika

Melt butter and stir in flour to make a smooth paste. Add liquid gradually and let thicken. If a more tart sauce is wanted add 1 can of Hunt's tomato sauce and 1 can of water. Simmer slowly. Save part of the finished sauce to serve hot with fish.

### THANKSGIVING DRESSINGS

Here they are, gals, a variety of stuffing recipes for those birds that will decorate your Thanksgiving table — Wish you all luck and a Happy Thanksgiving!

### FRUIT DRESSING

Submitted by Mrs. James Wright  
Cook 1 lb. of prunes and pit. Add 2 lbs. raisins, about 3 lbs. chopped apples, 1 C. sugar, 1 t. cinnamon, about 6 slices of cubed bread and 4 oz. wine or more if desired. Mix ingredients together. This makes enough stuffing to fill a large fowl.

### BREAD STUFFING

Submitted by Mrs. Harry (Ethel) McConnell  
(1 qt. for 4 lb. chicken)  
Use day-old bread and cut off crusts.

### 4 C. coarse crumbs

Melt 1-3 C. fat in large skillet, add 1/4 C. minced onion and cook until onions are yellow.

1/2 C. chopped celery (stalks and leaves)

2 t. salt

1/4 t. pepper

1 t. dried herbs (sage or thyme)

poultry seasoning

Mix all ingredients together lightly. For dry stuffing, add little or no liquid. For moist dressing, mix in lightly with a fork just enough hot water to moisten dry crumbs. Cool and place stuffing in bird.

### SAGE STUFFING

Submitted by Mrs. George (Grayce) Maag

Grind giblets (liver, gizzard and heart) and a large onion in a skillet. Add about 1 t. butter and brown ingredients well, stirring occasionally.

Moisten 1 loaf cracked wheat bread (white bread also may be used or half and half) and drain off excess water. Add bread to giblets and onion together with 1 t. poultry seasoning, 1 t. sage, 1 egg (well beaten), and salt and pepper to taste. Mix lightly together. Add more water if desired for moist dressing. Put as much of the dressing as will go into your fowl and the remainder can be put into a cheese cloth bag and dropped in the bottom of roaster. Baste with liquid from bottom of pan.

This stuffing may also be used with roast beef or pork by simply omitting the giblets. Instead of potatoes serve with noodles cooked in salted hot water; drain and top with browned bread crumbs.

### BAKED STUFFED FISH

Submitted by Mrs. George (Grayce) Maag

Clean and wash fish thoroughly. Rub fish well inside and out with salt and pepper and dredge outside in flour. Do not stuff fish too full and sew up. Place on slices of bacon in rack in roaster. Also put a few bacon slices on top of fish. Bake at 350 degrees and baste when partly done with tomato sauce. Keep a little water in the bottom of roaster. Following are the stuffing and tomato sauce recipes for the fish:

### STUFFING

1 C. bread crumbs  
1 t. onions, chopped fine  
1/4 t. salt  
1 t. chopped parsley  
2 egg yolks or 1 whole egg  
1/4 t. pepper  
1/4 C. melted butter  
Mix all ingredients well together.

## PRINCETON

Miss Jan MacKenzie and Miss Jutta Jacobsen from Clinton were the weekend guests of Mrs. Lauretta Stewart. The former is Mrs. Stewart's niece, and both visitors are students at Clinton High School.

AJC Homer Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnson was scheduled to leave England November 12 arriving in the states this coming weekend. Homer expects to be home for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Elmer Brown and son, Keith, were in Iowa City a week ago Tuesday where Keith had a medical examination at University hospital.

Lester Doyle, injured recently from a fall in his home, is improving in Mercy hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown spent last week end in Fayette, Iowa, visiting Mr. Brown's father, who celebrated his 79th birthday.

Carl Carsten of Argo and Keith Brown of Princeton spent the weekend in Fayette, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lee Herman of LeClaire are attending school at Winona Lake, Indiana. Mr. Herman is in his third year, Mrs. Herman has attended for two years. Mrs. Herman is the former Arliss Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown of Princeton.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Princeton, Iowa.

The Town Council of Princeton, Iowa, met in regular session on November 1, 1954, Mayor Ken Purinton presiding. President: Peitscher, Litscher, Suiter, Wilkinson and Woomert.

Treasurer's Report: Receipts—Road Use Tax \$145.56, Library Rent \$15.00, Street Lighting \$5.00, County Treasurer \$1238.04, Balance on hand \$2138.98. Moved by Suiter seconded by Wilkinson that Treasurer's Report be accepted. All yeas. Motion carried.

Bills presented:

Glen O. Brown  
Marshall's Salary \$60.00

The Weekly News Publishing 12.40

The Weekly News Publishing 4.10

Curtis Rogers Roofing City Hall 67.50

Chas. Branstetter Street Labor 9.00

John Mohlman Street and Roof Labor 74.50

Princeton Telephone Ex. October Bill 4.40

Employers Mutual Insurance 243.55

Iowa-Illinois Gas & Elec. Lights 71.02

Moved by Peitscher seconded by Woomert that bills be allowed. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Suiter seconded by Wilkinson that meeting adjourn. All yeas. Motion carried.

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Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor  
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Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Christian Life 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday: Choir practice 6:45 p.m.  
Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.  
Rev. M. O. Burman attended a Round-Robin Missionary Conference in the St. Louis area last week, where he was speaking each night.

**CALVARY CHAPEL**  
LeClaire

Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Service 6:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:45 p.m.  
Wednesday: Prayer Service and Bible Study 7:45 p.m.  
Saturday Choir Practice 7:00 p.m.

**GOSPEL TABERNACLE**  
LeClaire

Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor  
Worship Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**  
LeClaire

Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

**Argo**

By Mrs. Laura Gast

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bowker and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bowker attended the Iowa City homecoming and football game a week ago Saturday. Eugene Bowker is a medical student at the University of Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holden motored to Des Moines Tuesday where Mr. Holden attended a meeting.

Mothers and the teachers in the Pleasant Hill school district met Monday evening at the school house and organized a Mother's Club. Mrs. Ivan Wilson is chairman of the organization.

Dr. and Mrs. Jack Hand of Bettendorf and Dr. Hand's mother, Mrs. Frances Bickling of Downingtown, Penna., were dinner guests Wednesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher.

Alvin Bowker and Donald Holst celebrated their birthdays Tuesday evening, November 9, in the Alvin Bowker home. This is an annual celebration and eighteen members of their families were present.

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Midweek Services: Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

**METHODIST**  
McCauley

Rev. Charles H. Stange, Minister  
Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN**  
Princeton

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**ST JAMES CATHOLIC**  
Princeton

Father Tom Taylor Masses  
Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

**ZION LUTHERAN**  
Princeton

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**Princeton**

By Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

Horace Kirby has returned from the hospital and is improving after the painful corn picker accident which injured his hand.

Clyde Tague is home and improving after being in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Siem, Nancy and Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Havenhill spent the weekend in Elizabethtown, Ky., with Pfc. and Mrs. Roger Havenhill.

Dennis and Loren McFate celebrated their birthdays Sunday with a family dinner in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kerr.

Orville Birney and Mrs. Louie Erling were birthday honorees at a dinner party Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sierk with twenty five in attendance. A beautifully decorated birthday cake, made by Mrs. Court Spinsby, centered the table. The party also honored Pfc. Russell Spinsby, who is home on furlough, enroute to France.

Twelve members of the Junior Choir of the Lutheran church enjoyed a weiner roast in the home of their director, Mrs. Betty Miller.

Mike and Teresa Jo, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Meinert have improved from recent illnesses.

Mrs. Mae Brown is improved after being ill in her home.

Mr. Art Stichter is recovering from a sprained ankle received in a fall at her home.

Mrs. Lizzie Lieberinz recently visited her son Roy and family in Alma, Wisconsin.

Mrs. Tague Sr. has returned from Guthrie Center where she visited her son and family.

Jim Curtis and son Walter from Chicago returned home after enjoying a few days of pheasant hunting here.

The Gleaners class met in the home of Mrs. Roy Bowley. Leader was Mrs. Bertha Aufill.

Wednesday p.m. the Willing Workers of the Argo church met in the home of Mrs. Charles Benson. Leader was Margaret Sidlinger.

Mrs. G. R. Lucas and two children Jane and Bobby, from Schenectady, N. Y., arrived late Wednesday. Mrs. Lucas is here to help care for her mother, Mrs. Simeon Bowley, who returned home last Thursday from the hospital. She is improving after her recent accident.

The Junior Choir will meet Friday evening at 7 p.m. in the Henry Clark home. They will practice and have a social time.

The Good Samaritan Womens Missionary society will meet Friday in the home of Mrs. Russel Oliver. Leader will be Mrs. Alberta Moffit.

Members of the Stone school district had a good-time get together in their school last Friday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale and Rev. Mr. French motored to Monmouth last Saturday to attend Parent's Day at the college.

**Princeton**

By Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

Mrs. Charles Morgan Mrs. Ronald Morgan, Mrs. Allen Elliott, Mrs. Bob Porter, Mrs. Si. Rasche and Mrs. Jasper Morgan enjoyed a day of shopping Thursday in Chicago. They also saw Eartha Kitt in one of her latest hits.

The Presbyterian Church Workers made \$80 at the Silver Tea and silent auction Thursday with Mrs. Bob Carter, Mrs. Paul Dennis, Mrs. Mrs. John Litscher and Mrs. Mike Suiter the hostesses. The auction was in charge of Mrs. Orville Stewart and Mrs. Ivan Wilson.

**P. T. A. MET TUESDAY**

Twenty five parents and one visitor were present at the regular meeting of the Princeton P. T. A. on Tuesday evening. The flag was presented by Troop 88 and the program by pupils of Mrs. Clement's room.

A report of the district meeting was given by Marge Dreschler. An interesting article entitled "Are Parents Mice" was read by Betty Purington. The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening December 21, with Mrs. Helble in charge of the entertainment.

Doll Weaver enjoyed last week end with an old friend Ida Morgan in Clinton.

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### PRINCETON P. T. A.

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# THE COUNTRY TRAIL



Beverly Dannatt, member of the Princeton Live Wires 4-H club received an award at the county convention for records and canning.



Patricia Dannatt received an achievement award Thursday night for record books. "Pat," a member of the Princeton Live Wires, appeared on TV recently as a member of a demonstration team.

## AWARDS MADE AT SCOTT COUNTY 4-H CONVENTION

Highlights of the Scott county 4-H boys and girls convention held Thursday in Davenport were the election of officers and presentations of awards.

From this area, Kenneth Klined a member of the Lincoln Leaders was elected secretary of the county organization.

Janet Jugeneheimer was elected vice-president of the girls' county 4-H club. Janet is a member of the Lincoln Go-Getters.

Awards for outstanding project work were made to individual members. Township clubs also received awards for work during the year. Several members and clubs in this area shared in those honors.

### Township Club Awards

Standard certificates and achievement seals were presented to the following girl's clubs; Butler Wide Awakes, LeClaire Boosters, Lincoln Go-Getters and Princeton Live Wires. Charters were also pre-

ented to the girls' clubs in Butler, LeClaire and Princeton townships.

### Girls' Individual Projects

For individual project work, Beverly Dannatt of the Princeton Live Wires received an achievement pin for records and canning. Patricia Dannatt, also a member of the Live Wires, received an award for record books.

### Five Year Memberships

Four members of boys' 4-H clubs in this area were presented five-year membership certificates. Those sharing in this distinction are; Donald Clausen, Dale Kreiter and Elmer Mess all members of the Lincoln Leaders club, and Ronnie Paaske of the LeClaire Happy Juniors.

### Boys' Individual Projects

A certificate of dairy efficiency was awarded to Ronald Paaske a member of the LeClaire Happy Juniors.

Ronald Amhof of the Lincoln Leaders received an achievement award for Producers pig.

### TWENTY FIFTH

### ANNIVERSARY

The LeClaire Boosters Girls' 4-H Club will celebrate their Twenty-Fifth anniversary on November 27.

A program is to be held at 1:30 p. m. in Cody Elementary School.

All members former members, former leaders and mothers are invited.

LeClaire Boosters girls' 4-H club will sing at the Harvest Home services in the Argos church, Sunday, November 21.

### Farm School Council

Several local farmers are members of the council in charge of the Farmers Adult Night School to be held at the Bettendorf High School. Serving on the council are; Howard Kirby, Cecil Leamer, Jim Moran, Vic Randolph, Dick Schwartz and Frank Weber.

The sessions are to be held each Tuesday from 8 to 10 p.m. and are open to anyone interested. There will be no charge.

**CLUB REPORTERS** — We would be pleased to receive news and photos about your clubs activities for publication in the Weekly News.

## Mrs. Dannatt Honored



Mrs. Eugene Dannatt holds the plaque which she received for service as a club leader.

Mrs. Eugene Dannatt, who for nine years has served as leader of the Princeton Live Wires, was presented a plaque by the club members.

The plaque, a token of appreciation for the help and guidance which Mrs. Dannatt has extended, is inscribed:

**The Princeton Livewires  
Honor You  
Mrs. Eugene Dannatt  
For Your Service  
As Our 4-H Leader  
1946 — 1954**

Mrs. Harry McConnell and Mrs. Alvin Auliff are the new leaders of the Princeton township girls' 4-H club.

**Princeton Live Wires Met**  
The regular meeting of the Princeton Livewires 4-H club was held at the home of Rita Holst on November 13th.

Roll call, which was "What I am thankful for," was answered by thirteen members. Mrs. Zuber and the club's new leaders, Mrs. Harry McConnell and Mrs. Alvin Auliff, were also present. The members received record books for the coming year.

Mrs. Zuber gave instructions on how to fill out record books, and showed slides on good posture. A delicious lunch was served by the hostess and her mother.

The next meeting will be at the home of Patty Doyle on December 11th.

### Foster Auliff On TV

Foster Auliff, Princeton township farmer, appeared on WOC-TV "Rural Roundup" at noon Tuesday.

Mr. Auliff was interviewed and expressed his opinions on the subject of contour farming. A field day on contouring and terracing will be held on his farm at 1 p.m. Friday. The farm is located three miles west and one mile south of Princeton.

### CLASSIFIED SECTION

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## McCausland

By

### Mrs. Anna McKinney

The M. F. T. of the McCausland school held a bake sale Saturday at the variety store.

The M. F. T. of the McCausland school met Tuesday in the school. A film was shown by the Scott county Cancer Society.

Mrs. Herman Carsten entertained a group of friends in her home Saturday the occasion being her birthday. Twenty guests played 500 and bunco.

The W. S. C. S. met Wednesday afternoon in the church basement. Hostesses were Mrs. Alvin Claussen, Mrs. D. L. Stevens and Mrs. Ray Schnecko.

Rev. Scott Hall, a student minister from LowMoore had charge of services a week ago Sunday, at the Methodist church, in the absence of Rev. C. H. Strange.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Morris of Clifton Hill, Mo., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pool last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Larry Carber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Carber is a patient at the University hospital in Iowa City. He will undergo surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Darland had as their guests Saturday evening in their home; Mr. and Mrs. George Rasche and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Erps. Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Darland entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Swain of Davenport at a birthday dinner honoring their mother, Mrs. Lucy Swain.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Esker and two children of Cedar Rapids visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boltz.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clausen, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mumm and Doris Ann Mumm spent last weekend in Chicago.

## LeClaire

By

### Mrs. Elmer Hussett

Mothers of World War II Veterans met at the Legion hall last Wednesday. The next meeting will be November 30.

The Missionary society of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs. L. R. Day Devotions were by Mrs. Elmer Hussett and Bible Study by Mrs. Day. Mrs. Herman Bair gave the lesson. Lunch was served by the hostess.

Mrs. DeWitt Bragonier and Mrs. Russell Brown attended the Silver Tea at the Princeton Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Powell of Davenport were visitors at the Elmer Hussett home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Heldt, Mrs. Anna Lippold, Mrs. Margaret Fecker, Ruby Stuff, and Mr. and Mrs. Gust Pucht were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willie in McCausland, Sunday.

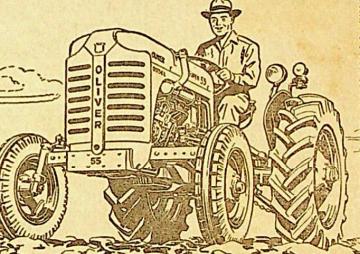
Louise and Louis Martin visited in Charles City over the week-end with Frank Martin.

The Grit Club held their regular meeting at the Community Hall, Thursday, November 11th with ten in attendance. A card party to be given by the club, will be held at the Community Hall, November 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Poell and family of Bettendorf were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clell Whicker and daughter of Rock Island and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Youngers and Dale were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Youngers. Miss May Scott of Indianapolis, Indiana was a visitor also.

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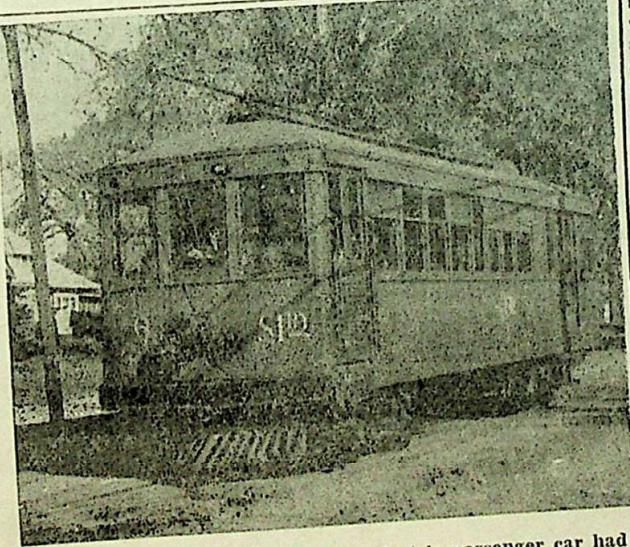
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Brought out of moth balls—This electric passenger car had not been used for many, many years, but in October it was used for a special trip over the Southern Iowa Railway by members of the Iowa Chapter, National Railway Historical Society. The car in its day carried passengers between Centerville and Albia in Iowa. The line now hauls freight only. Iowa's electric lines are all but gone!

urch annex.

**December 8, Wednesday —** Princeton township Farm Bureau women annual Christmas party, home of Martha Holst.

St. Henry's Church, public card party, 8 p.m. church hall.

Women of Zion Lutheran Church, lunch and gift exchange.

Maple Glen School, program at 7:30 p.m.

**December 10, Friday —** Princeton Echo Rebekah Lodge Christmas party and gift exchange, pot luck supper at 6 p.m. IOOF Hall.

**December 15, Wednesday —** LeClaire township Farm Bureau women. Christmas party and noon pot luck dinner, home of Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale.

**December 16, Thursday —** LeClaire P. T. A., regular meeting.

**December 17, Friday —** LeClaire Presbyterian Church Willing Workers, regular meeting.

**December 21, Tuesday —** Princeton P. T. A. regular evening meeting.

**December 22, Wednesday —** Princeton Presbyterian Sunday School annual Christmas program and gift exchange.

**December 23, Thursday —** Cody Elementary School, Christmas program, 7:30 p.m.

suddenly ~~uy~~ good as they can be. They count off the days on the calendar one by one until the climax — Christmas eve and Santa's visit.

The spirit of this Magic season should stay with us all thru the year — but as the seasons change, we forget somehow or maybe just become careless. So it is good then during this special season to remember what really makes Christmas is the first six letters of the word — and to count our blessings just once more.

At the close of a church service one of the members remarked to the minister that he never heard him ask for anything while praying, and wondered why. "Well, it seems that by the time I give thanks for what I have there is no time left to ask for anything," the minister replied.

A woman shopper often sees what she wants, goes everywhere to look for something better and comes back to find it gone.

Peanut oil is the best possible frying oil to use when frying fish as it can be heated to a high temperature without smoking.

One of the best cleaning agents for enamelware is a paste of salt and vinegar.

Try heating a lemon before extracting the juice and you will get nearly double the quantity of juice.

**DAFFYNITION —** Vocabulary—what can make the simplest explanation incomprehensible.

Next week the cooking column will give you ladies a variety of delicious cookie and candy recipes for Christmas making. So be sure and look for them.

In peeling a number of quite small onions it is a good plan to pour boiling water over them and let stand just long enough to wet and toughen the skin. This enables the skin to be peeled off in much larger strips.

The small white onions about the size of a hickory nut are fine for serving buttered.

The man who used to burn the midnight oil now has a son who burns the early morning gas.

A small boy had been looking over a stationer's stock of greeting cards for some time when a clerk asked, "Just what is it you're looking for, sonny? A birthday card or a message to a sick friend or anniversary congratulations to your dad and mom?" The boy shook his head "no" and answered wistfully, "Got anything in the line of blank report cards?"

Paint and string on a tape measure your empty thread spool to make unusual tie-backs for sewing room drapes.

and that is to produce quality eggs.

Yes, she has a helper Stephen, who is a four student in the Princeton. It is Stephen's job to and mark the egg cha

Carol also enjoys and one of her favorite es is flowers of all kinds roses in particular. She active in church work the Princeton P.T.A. Following are three recipes:

### FROZEN FRUIT - COCK

2 eggs, beaten  
2 T. vinegar  
2 t. sugar  
12 marshmallows  
1 No. 2 can fruit  
 $\frac{3}{4}$  C. heavy whip

Combine eggs, vi sugar in double b hot water, stirring unened. Add marshm copk until melted from fire and cool continuing stirring. The which has been tho and drained. Fold cream and pour in trays. Freeze until stirring. Cut it and serve on lettuce without mayanaise

### CRANBERRY

1 qt. cranberries  
1 apple, unpeeled  
2 bananas cut in Mix all ingredients add 2 C. sugar and overnight. Next m solve 1 pkg. of according to direc package, and add mixture. Pour into

### BACON AND CH

Cook 1 C. elbow boiling, salted wa der. Drain. Combi 4 egg yolks, be 2 C. soft bread 8 strips bacon

2 C. warm milk 1 t. grated onion  $\frac{1}{2}$  t. worcester  $\frac{1}{2}$  t. salt

To this add co and 2 C. grated cheese. Fold in egg whites. Put casserole. Place a pan of hot water for 1 hour at 35 degrees eight.

Carol said there was a great fire in their house friends at Sund accompanied by

Thought For Today  
If wrinkles appear upon our brows be written upon spirit should

# CHURCHES

## CALVARY CHAPEL LeClaire

Pastor Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor  
10 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
10 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

## ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC LeClaire

Stor Father Francis Duncan  
10 a.m. Masses  
0 a.m. Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
0 a.m. Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN LeClaire

Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

## GOSPEL TABERNACLE LeClaire

ge, Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor  
0 a.m. Worship Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
0 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
LAN Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

## BAPTIST LeClaire

dale Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
0 a.m. Young Peoples Christian  
0 p.m. Life 6:30 p.m.  
Youth Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
e hour Wednesday:  
0 p.m. Choir practice 6:45 p.m.  
Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**Flows** Type can't be compressed once it is set, so to use an allotted space, the only alternative is to pull a portion. This we did last week, but we didn't go quite far enough. Now that you have dangled for a week, here is the complete paragraph, the first few lines of which appeared in COFFEE TIME.

In connection with the above subject, I remember reading a little poem written by a man (his name escapes me) that went something like this:

Perk hats and chic dresses  
In our house cause financial  
messes,  
But guns, golf clubs and  
rifles  
Can be marked off as trifles.

Ever notice how some husbands who will walk a mile for a cigarette, can not make it across the living room for an ash tray.

Jimmy Durante once announced proudly that he had won a tango contest. "Here's a picture of me, the goil and the silver cup to prove it," he continued.

"That ain't no goil," scoffed his drummer, Jack Roth. "That's a kangaroo." Durante clapped his hands to



It is the cast of **FLYING HIGH**, even though one member, Wesley Schmalz, isn't flying so high at the moment. Giving attention to the prone actor are Joan Suiter (left) and Beulah Havenhill (right). Standing, left to right, Robert Porter, Rozella West, Gloria Wolfe, Carol Ann Beuse, Robert Carter, Robert McClimon and David McLaughlin. The play will be presented at Community Hall, Friday and Saturday.

### Degrees Conferred

By Rebekahs

PRINCETON — Mrs. Anne Beuse was in charge of business at the regular meeting of Echo Rebekah Lodge Thursday night, 54 attended with visitors from Davenport, LeClaire and LowMoar.

The Princeton Degree Staff under the direction of Mrs. Roy D. Holst, conferred the Degree, on Dorothy Graham of LeClaire; Mabel Hillman, Dorothy Carter, Ruth Hennke, and Ellen Robbins of Davenport and Marlene Rogers and Rhoda Evans of Princeton.

All members were given tickets to sell for the show "Flying High" and Baby Popularity contest.

The chairman announced \$65 was made at the recent benefit dance.

An oyster supper for all members and their families will be held Tuesday nite, November 30 in the I O O F hall.

The district delegate to the state Assembly will give her report at the next meeting on November 11.

# Attend . . .

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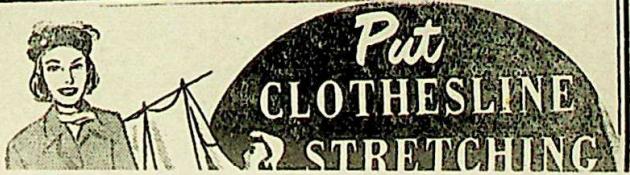
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## 24 DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

### LE CLAIRE HIGH SCHOOL HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES

By Jan McCollam

Homecoming, the biggest nite of the school season got under way Wednesday evening at 6:55 as the girls and boys basketball teams entered the LeClaire High School court thru a horse shoe of silver.

Then followed the announcement of the girls starting line-up; Babe Thompson and Kaye Parrick as point forwards, Grace Randolph, Joyce Dreesen, Jan McCollam filling the remaining positions as guards. Jan and Grace fouled out in the 4th quarter to be replaced by Pat Reep and Loretta Thompson. A well fought game, but a losing one for Le Claire, with a score of 63-50, with Charlotte the winner. At the end of the girls game Lila McConnell and Stanley Benson with their accordians led the entrance of the Glee Club, a very beautiful array of girls in formals of pastel colors. The girls were followed by the attendants to the King and Queen, Babe Thompson in a green and white formal, and Marlin Steele representing the Seniors and Jan McCollam in a light blue formal with Fred Boley representing the Juniors.

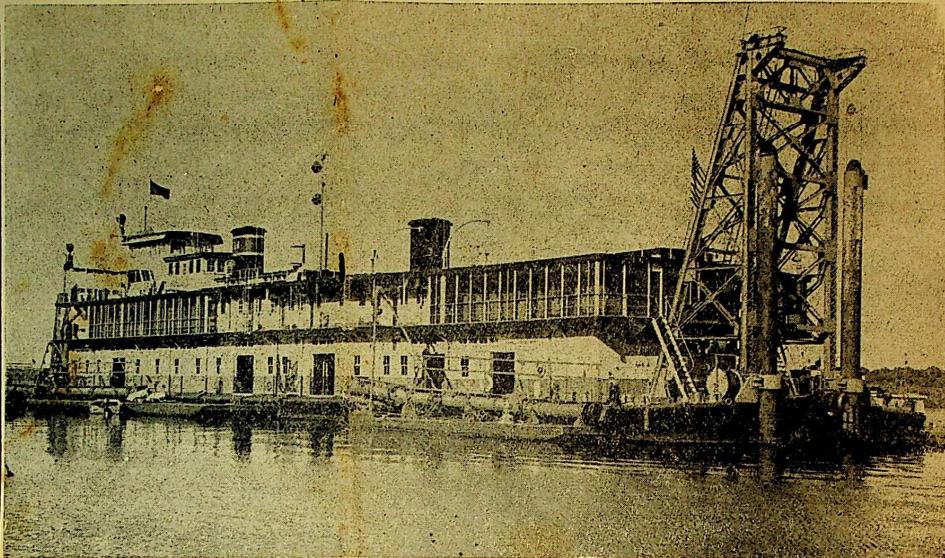
Two cheerleaders Velma Broderman Dorothy Hultquist were crown bearers, who were followed by the King and his Cinderella girl, as the king and his lady were seated, a witch appeared waving her wand to the accompaniment of six little fairies, after saying a few magic words the witch caused the lights to fail, during the darkness the Cinderella girl disappeared when the lights came on again, a very beautiful Queen, Mary Lea Roller was in her place in a beautiful Champagne colored formal. At this time Mrs. Inez Hulet the school principal crowned Eldon Kitchen, Mary Lea Roller King and Queen of homecoming of 54.

The King and Queen were entertained by a ballet dancer and the singing of the Glee Club. Then followed the boys game. The line up: Eldon Kitchen as center Dick Gately, Eddie Mohr as guards, Bruce Filbrandt, Homer Latimer as forwards. In the process of the game Fred Boley, Ronnie Leuth, Carl Meyers were also called into play, the final score 37-34 in favor of Charlotte. Immediately following the boys game the dancing for the evening was led by the Queen and King and their attendants. The evening was enjoyed by everyone.

### Missionary Conference At LeClaire Church

Once again the public will have an opportunity to hear of Missionary work being done in various parts of the world. On Thursday evening the Missionary Conference at the LeClaire Baptist Church begins. Services will be held each evening December 2 through 5 at 7:30.

Speakers will be present who work in the United States in Home Mission and Jewish work. Also present will be a Missionary to the Dominican Republic, and one to French North Africa.



U. S. Corp of Engineers dredge ROCK ISLAND tied-up at Princeton several weeks ago and attracted the attention of many Sunday drivers. This seasons navigation will soon end.



JOYCE BENNETT

LE CLAIRE — Seaman apprentice, Joyce Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Bennett spent the weekend with her family.

Joyce recently completed her nine-weeks boot training in Maryland. She is now stationed at Great Lakes where she is a clerk in the disbursing office.

### Princeton War Mother's Visit Veterans

PRINCETON—A week ago Monday, six members of Unit 5 Princeton, Mothers of World War II visited the Veterans Hospital at Iowa City. Traveling by chartered bus together with units from Rock Island, Davenport and Bettendorf.

Arriving at the hospital about 7 p. m., the Mothers divided into groups and visited the mental ward, the tuberculosis ward and the recreation room. Each group entertained with bingo. Prizes were cigarettes. Refreshments of homemade cake was also served.

Departing for home about 9:45 the Mothers hoped that they had given a little happiness to a few of the hospitalized veterans.

DRIVE CAREFULLY

### Siems Celebrate 45th Anniversary

PRINCETON — Fifty five Grassy Lane neighbors and relatives helped Mr. and Mrs. Nick Siem celebrate their 45 th wedding anniversary in their home Friday night. Prize winners were: Anne Fisher, Dorothy Miller, Marie Siem, Dorothy Ellis, Amanda Riefe, Connie Klemme, Vernie Cole, Evelyn Block, Marrianna Petersen, Vera Billups, Harry Reefe Jr., Jimmy Buri, Karen and Nancy Siem, Linda Siem, Jerry Fisherman, Kenny and Geno Storjohann, Tony Portz, Wesley Schmalz presented a gift of money from the group. Mr and Mrs. Siem have resided in this neighborhood nearly 25 years. Friday was also the eighteenth birthday of their granddaughter, Phyllis Petersen, who was present for the celebration.

Twenty four mothers were present and six new members took the obligation. Visitors also attended from Pleasant Valley, Geneseo and Rock Island.

Regular meetings will be held on the first Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p. m. in the Princeton school. Mayor Purington has given consent for Princeton's Unit No. 5 to sell Poinsettias on December 4.

### Davenport's Mayor Beuse Convalesced in Princeton

Davenport's Mayor Walt Beuse was convalescing at the home of his mother following his release from the hospital. The mayor returned to his office on Monday. He will be unable to attend the Mayor's Conference in Washington.

### Maple Glen Program

Pupils of Maple Glen school will present a public entertainment program in the school Wednesday, December 8, at 7:30 p. m. Mary Mess is the teacher. Refreshments will be served.



HOMER JOHNSON

PRINCETON - Homer Johnson son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnson, arrived home Monday night following his discharge from the air force.

Upon arrival from England on November 20, he spent nine days at Camp Kilmer, N. J., for final processing. During this time he had an opportunity to visit relatives at Kilmer, N.J.

Homer entered the service in February, 1951, at Des Moines and received basic training at Lackland air base in San Antonio, Texas. After basic he attended aircraft and engine school at Dallas.

Before going overseas, he serviced F-5's at Luke air base, Phoenix, Ariz., attended engine specialist school at Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill., serviced B-29's at Randolph Field in Texas and had duty in Bermuda with a weather squadron. Enroute to England he had three weeks of duty at Iceland.

Overseas, Homer was a crew chief in the grade of A1C. He was in England for one year at Burtonwood air base. Last February he was airman of the month and received a pass an expense paid tour to London. Before returning to the States, Johnson made a thirty-day flying tour of Cairo, Tripoli and Arabia.

Homer expects to return to his former work at Alcoa in Bettendorf.

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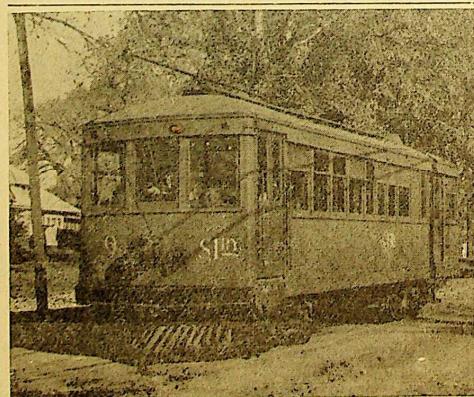
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The graphited smoke box, shining black boilers and aluminum painted trim had all but vanished during the weeks that the engines had stood outdoors since retirement.

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Brought out of moth balls—This electric passenger car had not been used for many, many years, but in October it was used for a special trip over the Southern Iowa Railway by members of the Iowa Chapter, National Railway Historical Society. The car in its day carried passengers between Centerville and Albia in Iowa. The line now hauls freight only. Iowa's electric lines are all but gone!

# COFFEE TIME

by  
Leona Farley

### COOK of the WEEK

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CAROL GRAHAM  
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Magic — what a wonderful word. To each it gives a different thought — I was just thinking that if there should ever be another season added to a year, I believe that the month between Thanksgiving and Christmas should be known as the Magic season.

It not only holds magic for the children but the adults as well. For it is during this season that we sincerely try more than any other time of the year to realize how many things we have to be grateful for — even each other — and how wonderful it is to be just alive. There is the magic spirit of friendliness — good will and love thy neighbor that just doesn't seem to exist in the middle of August. This loving spirit is captured somewhat by our children too, who suddenly try to be as helpful and good as they can be. They count off the days on the calendar one by one until the climax — Christmas eve and Santa's visit.

The spirit of this Magic season should stay with us all thru the year — but as the seasons change, we forget somehow or maybe just become careless. So it is good then during this special season to remember what really makes Christmas is the first six letters of the word — and to count our blessings just once more.

At the close of a church service one of the members remarked to the minister that he never heard him ask for any thing while praying, and wondered why. "Well, it seems that by the time I give thanks for what I have there is no time left to ask for anything," the minister replied.

A woman shopper often sees what she wants, goes everywhere to look for something better and comes back to find it gone.

Peanut oil is the best possible frying oil to use when frying fish as it can be heated to a high temperature without smoking.

One of the best cleaning agents for enamelware is a paste of salt and vinegar.

Try heating a lemon before extracting the juice and you will get nearly double the quantity of juice.

**DAFFYNITION —** Vocabulary—what can make the simplest explanation incomprehensible.

Next week the cooking column will give you ladies a variety of delicious cookie and candy recipes for Christmas making. So be sure and look for them.

In peeling a number of quite small onions it is a good plan to pour boiling water over them and let stand just long enough to wet and toughen the skin. This enables the skin to be peeled off in much larger strips.

The small white onions about the size of a hickory nut are fine for serving buttered.

The man who used to burn the midnight oil now has a son who burns the early morning gas.

A small boy had been looking over a stationer's stock of greeting cards for some time when a clerk asked, "Just what is it you're looking for, sonny? A birthday card or a message to a sick friend or anniversary congratulations to your dad and mom?" The boy shook his head "no" and answered wistfully, "Got anything in the line of blank report cards?"

Paint and string on a tape measure your empty thread spool to make unusual tie-backs for sewing room drapes.

Honoring us this week with some recipes that are favorite, with her family is Mrs. Carol (Leonard) Graham, Princeton

Carol is very busy, specializing in caring for 1,100 chickens.

The chickens are housed in special building with each hen having its own cage. The cages are double-decked. As soon as the egg is laid it rolls to the front so the hens never have a chance to "sit" on them.

Records and charts are kept on each hen. All this is for just one purpose. Carol said, "That is to produce top quality eggs."

Yes, she has a helper — Stephen, who is a fourth grade student in the Princeton school. It is Stephen's job to gather and mark the egg charts.

Carol also enjoys cooking and one of her favorite pleasures is flowers of all kinds, and roses in particular. She is also active in church work and with the Princeton P.T.A.

Following are three of Carol's recipes:

### FROZEN FRUIT - COCKTAIL SALAD

2 eggs, beaten  
2 T. vinegar  
2 t. sugar  
12 marshmallows  
1 No. 2 can fruit-cocktail  
¾ C. heavy whipping cream

Combine eggs, vinegar and sugar in double boiler over hot water, stirring until thickened. Add marshmallows and cook until melted. Remove from fire and cool while continuing stirring. Then add fruit, which has been thoroly cooled and drained. Fold in whipped cream and pour into freezing trays. Freeze until firm without stirring. Cut into squares and serve on lettuce with or without mayanaise. Serves 8.

### CRANBERRY SALAD

1 qt. cranberries, ground  
1 apple, unpeeled  
2 bananas cut in small pieces  
Mix all ingredients together; add 2 C. sugar and let stand overnight. Next morning dissolve 1 pkg. of cherry jello, according to directions on the package, and add cranberry mixture. Pour into molds and chill.

### BACON AND CHEESE PUFF

Cook 1 C. elbow macaroni in boiling, salted water until tender. Drain. Combine:  
4 egg yolks, beaten  
2 C. soft bread crumbs  
8 strips bacon fried and crumbled  
2 C. warm milk  
1 t. grated onion  
½ t. worcestershire sauce  
½ t. salt

To this add cooked macaroni and 2 C. grated sharp cheddar cheese. Fold in 4 stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into a 2-qt. casserole. Place casserole in a pan of hot water and bake for 1 hour at 350 degrees. Serves eight.

Carol said that this recipe was a great favorite around their house for entertaining friends at Sunday night supper accompanied by a salad.

**Thought For The Week:**  
If wrinkles must be written upon our brows, let them not be written upon the heart. The spirit should not grow old.  
— James Garfield

## PRINCETON

Mrs. Hazel Ray of Chicago visited at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Purinton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jenkins and Michael of Decatur, Ill., spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Jenkins parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kleeburg.

Among those present for a Thanksgiving dinner at the Fred Gibson residence in Bettendorf were Mr. and Mrs. David Holst, Princeton; Mr. and Mrs. Richard McMahon, Mrs. Ethel Gibson and niece Phyllis, and Mrs. Nettie Volmer of Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Pruitt left Thursday to spend the weekend with the Sam Fletchers in Peoria, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Suiter were in Chicago to attend the livestock show and the First National Bank Conference.

Dinner guests at the True McAllister's Thursday were; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Steffen and family, Mr. Charles Hart of Wilton Junction and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hatfield and sons of Milan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Graham and son, Steven, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Les Sasada in Clinton on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kincaid and children, Doris Ann and Donald Robert, from Detroit, Mich., visited at the home of Mrs. Amelia Hirl. Doris Ann is greatly improved after being very ill several months ago.

Thanksgiving dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Amelia Hirl were; Mr. and Mrs. Vern Hirl and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Billups and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Schulz and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kincaid and children of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kincaid and children visited Edwin Michl's in Clinton on Friday. Mrs. Michl and Mrs. Kincaid are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Graham went to Milwaukee on Saturday to attend the convention of the Wisconsin Poultry Improvement Association, which was held at the Schrader hotel. They returned Wednesday.

Mrs. and Mrs. Larry McFate and family drove Mr. and Mrs. John Collins to Delmar Friday night to board a train for Perry, Ia., where the Collin's visited his mother over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Enyeart and family spent the weekend in Missouri, visiting Mrs. Enyeart's parents at Marceline and Mr. Enyeart's mother at Triplett.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Domer left Wednesday for Pasadena, Calif., to visit at the home of their son Donald. The Domer's plan on spending the winter in California.

Mrs. Gayle Dannatt has returned to her home after being in the hospital.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Mess Sunday evening in honor of their son Billie who was five years old. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Finn Gunn and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Domer.

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# Lincoln's Cousin Nears Age Of 102

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Princeton's oldest resident and one of the last descendants of Abraham Lincoln is nearing his 102nd birthday. David Warren Hanks, cousin of Lincoln, through relationship of Nancy Hanks, Lincoln's foster mother, was born June 23, 1850 in Albany, Ill.

He has made his home with his daughter, Mrs. George Pinneo.

Wednesday Mr. Hanks was taken to Egger nursing home at 502 West Fifteenth Street, Davenport, after suffering an attack of pernicious anemia Tuesday, according to his daughter. He has been subject to the attacks for some 20 years, she said. But he was reported recovered and in normal health today, and will be able to receive callers at the nursing home.

Although his hearing and sight are impaired, he is remarkably alert, recognizes callers and his mind is "as clear as a bell." He continues to go up and down stairs by himself and walks about the house with the aid of a cane and a chair. Mr. Hanks also maintains an avid interest in ancient history.

A former teacher, he enjoyed Memorial day, having his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Diemer of Davenport, also a former teacher, read to him.

No special observance is being planned for his birthday anniversary, but friends are welcome to call and offer congratulations.

## PRINCETON CARAVAN TO R R CROSSING HEARING

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Plans are being made to take everyone who can attend to the hearing at the Court House Friday, June 20th. If you can go, we will provide transportation. Come to the Mass Meeting, Thursday, June 19th, at Town Hall, at 8 p.m. and register for your place.

## ELECT NEW OFFICERS AT COUNTY LEGION MEETING

Raymond Gollinghorst of Donohus post, 532, was elected county commander of the American Legion at a meeting held in Bettendorf Legion hall Wednesday night.

Peter Khee, also of the Donohue post, was named county adjutant. Others elected are William McGee, Davenport, vice-commander; Victor Brus, Blue Grass, vice-commander; Ralph Griffin, Bettendorf, vice-commander; Leonard Johansen, Walcott, sergeant-at-arms; Leroy Hedle, Eldridge, chaplain; Orvie Norton, LeClaire, historian.

The officers will be installed at a county meeting to be held in LeClaire June 26.

## FULL GOSPEL BIBLE SCHOOL SUCCESSFUL

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Friday, June 6th, brought to a close the best daily vacation Bible School enjoyed yet by the Sunday school.

Both children and teachers enjoyed the lessons for this year and are sure that all of them have learned some truths that will prove a help to them throughout their life.

The tabernacle wishes to thank all who have helped in making this Bible School a pleasure and enjoyment to the children. Expressing gratitude to those who donated various articles for the work as well as the picnic.

At 11 a.m. Friday, teachers, scholars and parents that were able to come attended the closing day picnic, which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Kipper north of LeClaire on highway 67. A grand picnic dinner was served with a treat of a bottle of soda for each furnished by the Ruhl Oil Co. A total of 81 persons attended.

The closing service was held Friday night at 8 p.m. at the Tabernacle. At the close those attending inspected the handiwork of the scholars displayed on the display table.

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## Funeral Services Held Sunday for Mrs. Maria Tobey

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon for Mrs. Maria L. Tobey, 86, of LeClaire, who died in St. Lukes Hospital early Friday.

The Rev. Henry Roskamp officiated, and burial was in the Prairie Union cemetery near Low Moor, Iowa. Bearers were Claude Brown, John Rippie, Zack Suiter, I. Morey, Andy Wright and George Pineo. Services were in charge of the Hill & Fredericks Mortuary.

Maria Simpson was born in Geneva, N.Y., July 31, 1857, the daughter of James and Amanda Simpson. At an early age she moved to Low Moor where she was educated. She married Charles A. Tobey in Low Moor on December 12, 1876, and following their marriage the couple resided in Low Moor until 1910 when they moved to Princeton. Following Mr. Tobey's death Mrs. Tobey made her home in LeClaire.

Surviving are three sons, Vernon of Clinton, Clair of Princeton and Harold of Thompson, Ill.; three daughters, Mrs. Bertha Suiter, Mrs. Alta Wilson and Mrs. Anna Brown, all of LeClaire and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

# Princeton Organizations Gird For Crossing Fight

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After 27 years of dickering with the railroad, with no success, the fight to obtain R.R. crossing warnings, the town council has at last obtained a public hearing with the Inter-State Commerce Commission Friday June 20 — 10:30 a.m. at the Scott County Court house.

A small community without any funds — fighting a giant railroad system. Because Princeton lacks funds for an attorney the Inter State Commerce Commission according to law provided legal counsel for the town. Special assistance has been offered, Attorney Earl Smith, by State Representatives, Jack Schroeder, Fred Swengel, State Senator Phil Heden, and assistant County Attorney Charles Rehling.

Attorney Earl Smith, Princeton's Counsel, urges all civic fraternal and church circles to unite and help by taking an active part in this fight for Princeton Protection.

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MARY LOUISE CONKLIN  
AUGUST BRIDE

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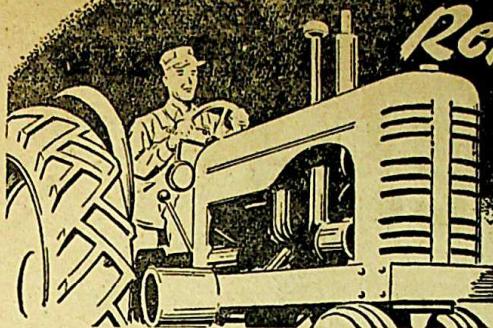
Mr. and Mrs. Owen F. Conklin, 720 Fifteenth street, Bettendorf, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their only daughter, Mary Louise, to Robert E. Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gibson of Pleasant Valley.

The marriage will take place Saturday, August 16, at 7 p.m. in the Bettendorf Community Presbyterian church. Friends and relatives are invited to attend the ceremony and reception which will follow in the Conklin home.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Davenport high school and is employed as a service representative in the business office of Northwestern Bell Telephone Co. Mr. Gibson was also graduated from Davenport high school and is employed at the J. I. Case Co. At present he is located in Lincoln, Neb., with the firm.

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THURSDAY JUNE 12

Moved by Wilkinson, seconded by Litscher Treasurer's report be accepted. All yeas. Motion carried.

Following bills read—

Chas. Branstetter, Labor	\$ 9.50
John Mohlman, Labor	9.00
Ia.-Ill. Gas & Elec., Lights	51.00
Benthrico Ind., Name Plates	9.00
Mrs. H. Woomert, Freight charges	1.61
LaVerne Mess, Weed Mowing	50.00
Art Pietscher, Marshall	30.00
Wm. Voss, Culverts	36.00
Cecil Hamilton, Asphalt & Hauling	61.69

On motion by Peitscher, seconded by Pries, bills be allowed. All yeas. Motion carried.

On motion by Peitscher, seconded by Wilkinson following businesses be granted cigarette permits pending proper application and payment: George & Ernies, Pains Cafe, Trading Post, Hirls Service Station, LeMars Sundries.

On motion by Woomert, seconded by Litscher meeting adjourned.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

JUNE 10, 1952

Town Council met in special session Mayor Frank Norton presiding. Present: Litscher, Peitscher, Pries, Woomert. Absent: Wilkinson.

Purpose of meeting to organize material for the June 20th hearing before Iowa Commerce Commission at the Scott County Court House at 10:30 a.m.

Mr. Glen Suiter appointed coordinator to organize material and action.

A date for a Town Meeting was set at Thursday, June 19, 1952 at 8:00 p.m. at the Community Hall. All residents are urgently requested to attend to express their opinions and give their support. Mr. Earle Smith, Assistant Commerce Council for the Iowa Commerce Commission, will be invited to attend to summarize necessary action. Mr. Smith, who will act as our legal council, has stated that it is very essential to have as much public support as possible at the hearing June 20th.

Provision was made for taking of still and motion pictures of railroad crossings, the surveying of railroad crossings, gathering historical data pertaining to railroad crossings, taking a traffic count, contacting state representatives and senator, contacting persons involved in a railroad accident or nearly missed, etc.

The need for public support both at the Town Meeting, June Friday, June 20th, at the Scott 19th at 8:00 p.m. and the hearing County Court House at 10:30 a.m. cannot be expressed strong enough. This may be our last chance for sometime so lets everyone get behind it.

Special meeting not officially closed by a motion.

## Princeton Briefs

### NOTICE!! NOTICE!!

The Princeton Town Council wishes to contact all persons who at any time have had any accident or near accident due to the Princeton Railroad Crossings. This information can be submitted to the Farmers Saving Bank in Princeton or LeClair or any Princeton Council Member or Fire Department Member.

Attorney Earl Smith of Des Moines will present the Town of Princeton's case at the Railroad Crossing issue before the Interstate Commerce Commission hearing Friday, June 20 at 10:30 a.m. Scott County Court House.

Plan to attend the mass meeting on Princeton Railroad crossing issue Thursday, June 19th, 8:00 p.m. at Princeton Town Hall.

Princeton P. T. A. assisted chairman Glen Suiter with the cancer drive. Solicitors were Mrs. Harold Woomert and Mrs. Al Drechsler.

Twenty members of the Bid and Chatter club honored Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Holst Saturday night in honor of their fifteenth anniversary. Winners were Ray Baetke, Emma Litscher, Harry Holst, George Stichter, Ben Litscher, and Helen Stoefen.

Fathers Day will be observed Sunday in the Presbyterian church with a program during Sunday school beginning at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Emil Stimac spent several days in Minneapolis with relatives.

Princeton students who graduated from Clinton High School Thursday night were Marie Huston, Gloria Wolfe, David Adams, Joan and Jean Hamilton, Shirley Helble, Dorothy Helble and Beverly Dannatt.

Mr. David Warren Hanks will be 102 years old June 23 taken to a nursing home in Davenport last week after an attack. He is improved and is "old self again." His address is 502 East 15th St., Davenport, Iowa.

Past Noble Grands will meet Friday with Mrs. Russell Auliff.

Mrs. Arthur Stichter and Mrs. Russell Auliff will entertain the church workers Thursday June 19 in the church.

Lester Noble is in St. Lukes hospital for treatment.

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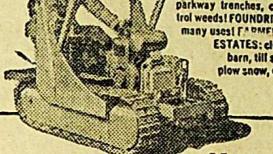
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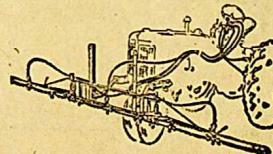
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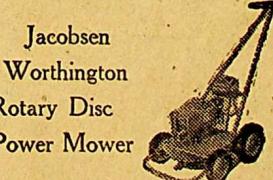
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Geraldine Conner of Beloit, Wisconsin is spending the summer at the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Jenkins.

Mrs. Isabel White, mother of Mrs. Roy Barney, is now a patient at Mercy hospital, Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mohr attended the graduation exercises at the Davenport High School, Tuesday evening. Mr. Mohr's daughter was a graduate.

Mrs. Elmer Hussett attended the graduation at the Davenport High School Tuesday evening. Her nephew, Jack Hinkle was a graduate.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Suiter of Moline, Illinois were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brady Latimer and family.

Mrs. Elmer Hussett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hinkle of Davenport were Sunday dinner guests at the Hussett home. Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Suiter of Moline, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hussett and children of Bettendorf and Mr. and Mrs. Clem Dickey of Davenport were Sunday afternoon callers at the Elmer Hussett home.

Mrs. Paul Winkler was taken to Mercy hospital on Tuesday for observation. Mrs. Winkler is the former Marjorie Thorton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rinker's daughter and family of Texas are visiting at the Rinker home.

George Boardwell, 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Boardwell was honored with a birthday party at his home Tuesday afternoon. His mother, the former Sarah Ann O'Brian, served ice cream, cake and soda pop to the little guests. Georgie received many nice gifts.

Mrs. Wilma Brockhouse was hostess to a Stanley Party in her home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Landers are the parents of a son born Wednesday in Mercy hospital, Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lippold, R. No. 1, are the parents of a daughter, born Wednesday in St. Lukes hospital, Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown are the parents of a son, born Monday in the Davenport Osteopathic hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lohse and children of Long Grove were Wednesday afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William White.

Mr. and Mrs. William McKinney and family of Watertown, South Dakota, are visiting in LeClaire, and are staying at the home of Mrs. Lizzie Martin.

Miss Darlene Jenkins left Monday for Iowa City where she will enter summer school at the University for the next eight weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Jenkins and family attended the Fleece family reunion held at the Earl Fleece home in Davenport, Sunday afternoon.

M.E. 3 and Mrs. William Hultquist were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Edna Hultquist and family. M.E. 3 and Mrs. William Hultquist were enroute to San Diego, California where he is being transferred aboard a ship from Flint, Michigan.

A divorce was granted Tuesday to Phillip Thomas Hammill from his wife, Marie. He was awarded two minor children and household effects. The two older children have gone to stay with their father.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wilson and sons, Kenneth and Glenn, were Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. Wilson's aunt in Moline, Illinois.

Mrs. Rozella Mateer and Mrs. Raejean White and children were Thursday afternoon visitors at the home of Mrs. Treasa Schutters of Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson and children of Davenport were Thursday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Roberts and family.

The ladies Missionary Society of Calvary Chapel met with Mrs. Clarence Simonton in her home Friday, June 6. Those in attendance were the Mesdames, Earl Pitsenbarger, Carl Baker, Ralph Ross, LL. Ballard, George Underwood, J. R. Long and Rudy Anderson. The afternoon was spent sewing and lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Sloan, Pleasant Valley, are parents of a girl born Friday in St. Lukes hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Stuff were hosts to a dinner Sunday in their home with Mrs. Ruby Stuff, Mrs. E. H. Gruenwald of Atwater, California, Misses Elsie and Meta Krohn of Davenport, Mrs. Marie Hummel of Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dittmer Jr. and children, as guests.

Mrs. Charles Kerr of Princeton was hostess to 16 Grassy Lane club members with Mrs. David McLaughlin presiding. Prize winners were Mesdames George Beave, Jack Santee, Lambert Storjohann and Pat Billups. Mrs.

**REGULAR MEETING**  
**TUESDAY, JUNE 3rd, 1952**  
**SEVEN-THIRTY P.M.**

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The Town Council of the Town of LeClaire, Scott County, Iowa met in regular session in the council chamber of the town hall.

Bruce Cole will be July hostess.

Arvie Norton of LeClaire was elected Historian of the American Legion at a meeting held in Bettendorf Legion hall Wednesday night. Officers will be installed at a county meeting to be held in LeClaire June 26.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leppold Jr. of R. R. No. 1, LeClaire are parents of a girl born Wednesday in St. Lukes hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa L. Sanders of LeClaire, are parents of a boy born Wednesday in Mercy hospital.

Mrs. Ruby Stuff and Mrs. Marge Gruenwald attended the monthly card club at the Lend-A-Hand club, Davenport Saturday evening.

Mrs. Rose Dittmer was a guest for dinner in the home of Esthe McFate Tuesday.

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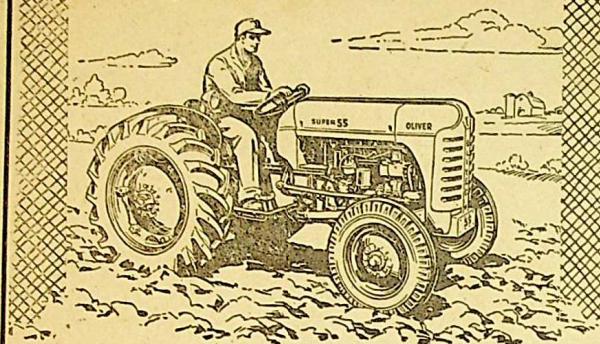
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**Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher  
Celebrate 50th Anniversary**

Wednesday, December 29, marked the 50th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Fletcher.

On Friday evening a group of fifteen relatives of the family surprised the couple. Following a social evening the Fletchers were presented with a gift.

A combined meeting and holiday party was held by the Gleaners Class of the Argo Church in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher. The class presented the couple with an anniversary gift.

The Fletchers were also given a beautiful basket of flowers from the Men's Bible Class and the Women's Missionary Society of the Argo Church.

**Robert Fletcher's  
Observe 40th Anniversary**

Members of the Willing Workers and their husbands of the Argo church held a combined Christmas party and anniversary in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher on Friday, December 17.

The Fletchers observed their 40th Anniversary. Twenty five guests attended the 6:30 dinner at which the center piece was a two-tier cake given as a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benson. The group also presented Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher with a gift.

**PRINCETON**

Sharon Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Allen, entertained ten girls in her home December 30th. The occasion was Sharon's 13th birthday. Cake and Ice Cream were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Enyeart and family spent Christmas weekend with their parents at Marceline and Triplett, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKnight spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nissen and family.

Christmas dinner for the Sidlinger family was held at the Leonard Armstrong home in Bettendorf. Mrs. Leatha Fickel of Princeton attended.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ruhberg over Christmas were Cpl. Gary Ruhberg, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Ruhberg and son of Davenport; Mr. Fred Lauritzen and Abe Virgil from Galena, Ill.

The annual Brownie Christmas party was held at the school. Mrs. Helen Shaw and Mrs. Leatha Fickel are leaders.

The week previous the older intermediates held their party at the school. Names were drawn for their secret pals.

Pvt. and Mrs. Ronnie Busch and daughter, Lee Ann, spent Christmas with the James McMeekin family. Mrs. Busch is a sister of Mrs. McMeekin. Briefly on Christmas eve, Mr. and Mrs. James McMeekin of Sully, Ia., and Mrs. John Garretos of Rock Island visited at the McMeekin home. They are the parents and sister of Mr. McMeekin.

Christmas dinner which this year was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher, Marie Harris of Chicago and Mrs. Laura Gast spent Christmas day in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Jack Hand in Bettendorf.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dau of Chicago spent Christmas in the home of Mrs. Dau's parents, Rev. and Mrs. C.S. Ramsdale.

The James Holst family had their family Christmas dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Holst.

Miss Arlene Wilson of Chicago spent Christmas with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Benson and family from Maquoketa spent Christmas with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunlap and boys of LaCrosse, Wisc spent Christmas with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale.

Henry Paaske received word of the sudden death of his aunt Mrs. John Paaske of Dickinson, Texas.

The Lippold family held their annual Christmas party in the Pleasant Valley Community Hall. Fifty were present for the 7 o'clock dinner.

The 4-H Girls and Boys of LeClair township held a party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Havill in Bettendorf.

Mrs. Gertrude Mains a practical nurse of Casey, Ia., has arrived to help care for Mrs. Simeon Bowley. She is a relative of the Bowley's.

Mrs. O. R. Hamilton is now able to be up and around after her recent hospitalization.

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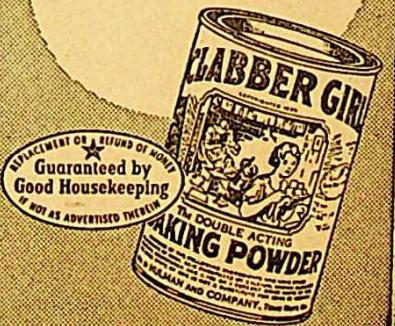
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## Road Improvement Petitions Circulated

### PETITION

TO THE HONORABLE GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF IOWA, AND TO THE HIGHWAY COMMISSION:

We, the undersigned, being citizens of Eastern Iowa, respectfully request that the improvements to be made to U. S. Highway No. 67, be extended at least to the limits of the Town of LeClaire. We further request, specifically, that such improvements include the relocation of a portion of the highway to pass around the base of the hill opposite the Davenport Country Club in order to eliminate two steep and hazardous grades as well as numerous dangerous curves. A majority of the residents of The Eastern Iowa community find employment in the Quint Cities, and must traverse this road twice a day. This is an extremely hazardous road, even in good weather, and during the winter is often impassable. Therefore we request your consideration of this important matter during the 1955 session of the legislature.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

#### PETITIONS ASK FOR ACTION ON HIGHWAY 67, THIS YEAR

PRINCETON — Petitions asking for the improvement of Route 67 between Riverville and LeClaire are now available to groups or individuals who are interested in circulating them for signatures.

The forms may be obtained from Mayor Ken Purington or Mr. George Volrath in Princeton. The completed petitions should also be returned to these gentlemen.

Petitions have been placed in various area business places and nearby factories. It was stated that the forms were enthusiastically accepted and that early signature response is encouraging.

Mr. George Volrath reports that petitions have been placed in all Princeton business houses, (LeClaire residents signed an earlier version), forms for signatures are also available in Argo, McCausland, Camanche, Clinton, Pleasant Valley, Bettendorf and several Quint Cities factories. Volrath indicated that he had an ample supply of the forms to supply all interested groups and individuals.

A sample copy of the petition is reprinted in this issue for you to have an opportunity to study the wording and be ready to sign.

Martha Herdt

Passed Suddenly

Funeral services for Martha Pearl Herdt, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herdt of LeClaire, were held at the McGinnis Funeral Home in Bettendorf on Monday, January 3, at 3 p.m. Rev. M. O. Burman, pastor of the LeClaire Baptist Church conducted the services. Faith Burman sang two hymns.

Martha Pearl Herdt was born June 17, 1954, and departed this life on December 31, 1954. Death was caused by pneumonia. Burial was in the babyland at Oakdale Cemetery in Davenport.

Surviving in addition to her parents are two brothers, Freddie and John; two sisters Carol and Joan, all at home; the paternal grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Herdt, Moline, Ill., and the maternal grandfather Mr. William E. Howell of Elvanston, Ill., and many other relatives.

Mrs. Anna Gilbert

Buried on Thursday

LE CLAIRE — Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Gilbert, 78, were held Thursday at 1:30 p.m. in the LeClaire Presbyterian Church. The Rev. C. E. Burdine officiated. Burial was in Glendale cemetery.

Mrs. Gilbert passed away at noon Monday in a Davenport hospital. She had been ill for two months.

Born in Germany on April 6, 1876, the former Anna Dittmer came to this country and settled in LeClaire at the age of nine. On March 28, 1900, she was married to LeRoy Gilbert in LeClaire. He preceded her in death in 1948.

Surviving are two sons, Robert and Arthur, both of LeClaire; a daughter, Mrs. John McDonald of Wheatland; two sisters, Mrs. Helen Mohlman of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Meta Hoflich of LeClaire; and a brother, Herman Dittmer of LeClaire. Seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild also survive.

Boy Passes After Long Illness

Larry Eugene Ross, age 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur H. Ross of Bettendorf, died January 1st following a long illness.

He was born January 19, 1952, in LeClaire.

Funeral services were held in Bettendorf with interment in Davenport.

Bud Shinn's Mother

Buried at Casey, Iowa.

Funeral services and burial of Mrs. D. W. Shinn, age 89, were held Thursday at Casey, Iowa. She was the mother of Bud Shinn of Princeton. A daughter, Mrs. Bertha Speer, preceded her in death in December, 1954.

Former Resident Buried

LE CLAIRE — A former resident of LeClaire, Mrs. John Paaske, age 63, died suddenly on December 28 at Dickenson, Texas. Funeral services and burial were at League City, Texas.

Mrs. Paaske was the former Bertha Arp. She attended school near Le Claire and moved to Texas, 30 years ago.

Mothers Of World War II

Held Regular Meeting

PRINCETON — Unit No. 5 — Mothers of World War II held their January meeting Tuesday evening in the Princeton school with Feryl Clemmons presiding. The meeting was well attended in spite of the inclement weather.

The Unit will observe January, as Veterans Cookie Month. Cookies will be sent to Veterans Hospital at Iowa City.

There will be a pot luck luncheon at the home of Mrs. Edna Dodds, Wednesday, January 19. The day will be spent sewing carpet rags for Schick hospital. Members are asked to bring the carpet rags.

Hostesses for the January meeting were Mabel Brunson and Pearl Dannatt.

Grassy Lane Committees Named

Seventeen Grassy Lane Club members met in the home of Mrs. Harold Siem, newly elected president.

The president appointed the following committees for the year: Program — Margy Klemme, Viney Striecher, Callie Graham and Carrie Tobey.

Floral — Alvina Schmalz, Edith Schmalz, and Dora Storjahn.

Social — Bessie Sierk, Vera Billups, Margaret Anderson and Ethel Oakes.

Mrs. A. Schmalz will be the February hostess.

#### STEAM ERA ENDED

LE CLAIRE — The end of an Era was marked by workmen of the DRI&NW Railway at LeClaire on Monday.

The steel water tank, just north of the depot, which was used to supply water for steam locomotives has been retired and drained. Diesel engines have replaced steam power and no need exists for the tank.

Eventually the tank and pump house will be dismantled and removed.

#### CHRISTIANSEN — SUITER ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Christiansen, Route 1, Davenport, announce the engagement of their daughter, Joyce Ann, to Cecil W. Suiter, son of Mrs. Alvina Suiter, LeClaire, and of the late Mr. Suiter.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Miss Christiansen is a senior at Davenport High School. Mr. Suiter, a graduate of LeClaire High School, is employed at Sieg Company in Davenport.

#### ARGO CHURCH

#### HELD ANNUAL MEETING

ARGO — The Argo U.P. Church members held their annual congregational meeting and supper Monday evening, January 3, in the church basement.

During the business meeting, two elders Earl McGinnis and Edgar Holden, and three trustees James Lively, Eldon Havill and John Moffit were elected.

#### Legion Auxiliary

#### Plans Sewing Meeting

LE CLAIRE — The American Legion Auxiliary held their regular meeting at the hall in LeClaire on January 5.

A business meeting was conducted and plans were made to hold a sewing meeting at the hall on the evening of January 20.

Hostesses for the evening were: Mrs. Pain, Mrs. Clemons, Mrs. Havenhill and Mrs. Woods.

#### LUTHERAN WOMEN

#### PLAN SOUP SUPPER

PRINCETON — The Women of Zion Lutheran Church met at the church for their regular meeting Wednesday, January 12. Mrs. Robert Aufelt and Mrs. True McAllister were hostesses.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. Ira Schwab and Mrs. Richard Otten read a letter sent as a "Thank You" from the Virgin Isles, for the box of clothes sent as a Christmas gift. There were also pictures of the families, who received clothing from the package. Of extra interest, Mrs. Otten, also displayed a package of articles sent from the Virgin Islands which included shells, sea fans, sea eggs and similar items.

Projects for the coming year were discussed which included a Soup Supper to be held in the church basement on Tuesday evening, January 25, serving to start at 5 o'clock.

#### ECHO REBEKAH LODGE

#### INSTALLS OFFICERS

PRINCETON — Mrs. Ella Scharff was installed as Noble Grand of Echo Rebekah Lodge at the regular meeting. Madeline Everett of Davenport presided as District Deputy President.

In addition to the Noble Grand the following officers were also installed:

Vice Grand - Rozella West  
Warden - Marilyn Erling  
Conductor - Joan Suiter  
Musician - Marlene Rogers  
Chaplain - Evelyn Wilson  
Right Support to Noble Grand - Elaine Stewart

Left Support to Noble Grand - Edith Schmalz  
Right Support to Vice Grand - Celeste Peitscher

Left Support to Vice Grand - Johanna Fawcett  
Inside Guardian - Rhoda Evans  
Outside Guardian - Gloria Wolfe

Color Bearer - Pearl Erling  
Mrs. Zola Christiansen, delegate for the district gave her report. Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Allen of Clinton were also present. A total of 35 attended.

Mrs. Gladys Beuge Biles, a recent bride, and Mrs. Charles Helble, who will move to Miami about February 1, were each presented with a gift by Mrs. Herbert Peitscher.

The next meeting will be on January 27, at which time the various committees will be named.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT

#### INSTALLED OFFICERS

PRINCETON — Officers of the Princeton Volunteer Fire Department were installed at the January meeting of the organization.

Installed were Wayne Youngers, president; Ben Shaw, Jr., vice-president; Burdette Huston, treasurer; Robert L. Suiter, secretary and Herbert Peitscher, fire chief. Art Pietscher was elected first assistant fire chief and Frank Erfling is the second assistant fire chief.

T. F. Ruhberg, oldest member of the department and former secretary of the organization has retired after 15 years of service.

#### ANNUAL MEETING

#### OF PRESBYTERIANS

PRINCETON — The annual meeting of the congregation of the Presbyterian church was held on Sunday, January 9. The meeting followed pot luck dinner after the regular church services.

A rotating system of electing elders and trustees was adopted. Mrs. Burdette Huston and Mr. Ray Davis succeeded Mrs. Ralph Porter and Roy Wood, the two longest term elders. Bert Porter and Howard Lively were elected to succeed Russell Enyeart and Ray Davis as trustees. Norman Shroeder was elected benevolence treasurer and Glen Suiter was elected church treasurer.

Dr. H. J. Rendall will continue to serve the congregation until a full time pastor is secured upon completion of the manse, now being constructed.

The Church Workers will have an all-day meeting January 20 in the home of Mrs. Ray Davis.

#### Grit Club To Serve

The Pleasant Valley Grit Club will serve a Chicken-Pie dinner and supper on January 26 at the Community Hall in Pleasant Valley.

Proceeds will be used to pay on the debt on the building.

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## Think It Over!

By Jim McMeekin

The Weekly News, your community service newspaper, has experienced its share of growing pains. Probably more to come.

This issue was printed on a newspaper press saved from a scrap man's cutting torch. The press served the Wilton Advocate (Iowa) for many years, but was retired six months ago, giving way to a larger press. We believe that the press, though old, will serve us adequately with equal faithfulness.

The smaller, automatic press which we have used up to this time, limited the size of the paper both in column width and number of columns. With the press just installed we can use a standard width column and print up to 7 columns on each page, if news and advertising warrants.

This issue, like those before it, is a five-column make-up, but increased slightly in width and height to compensate for the new column measure.

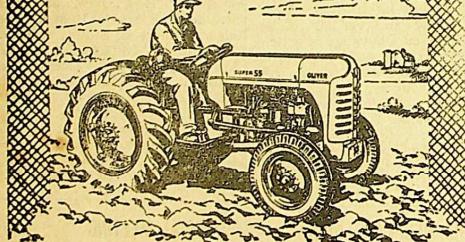
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## COFFEE TIME

by  
Leona Farley

### HAPPY NEW YEAR TO YOU!

How many New Year's resolutions did you make this year—and how many of them have you kept so far? Well, anyway, we hope that one of your resolutions will be to relax with us each week while we have a cup of coffee and visit.

After having a week's vacation from our column it seems good to be back with you again. Have you noticed that the first week in January seemed rather bleak? The Christmas tree has been stripped of its ornaments and set outside. The children's new toys set motionless around their room as they trot back to school—and in the kitchen, the only reminder of the holidays are a few left-over cookies, a piece or two of fruit cake and a half-dish of assorted candy. Oh yes, and two cups of stale coffee in the percolator. But I notice the mistletoe still hangs — hmmm —

The ol' timer says that you can tell a lady by the perfume she wears—and you can tell a gentleman by the way he reacts when he smells it!

Remember your discarded Christmas tree tied with bread crumbs or tallow makes a nice haven for the birds during cold weather, especially when there is snow on the ground.

To prevent smoke odors and hot cakes from sticking, rub your gridiron with a small bag filled with salt. Use this instead of grease.

A heavy snowfall like we just had is the best thing I know of to remove the rust from the snow shovel. But what is the remedy to get the kinks out of one's back?

A telephone company received a letter which read in part: "When are you going to put the wires underground and eliminate the unsightly poles?" signed "Woman Driver"!

### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

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## CHARLES HELBLES

### MOVING TO FLORIDA

PRINCETON — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Helble have sold their home in Princeton to Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wolf.

The new owners will move-in by February 1.

The Helbles will go to Florida where their daughter resides.

### Altar and Rosary Society

#### Holds Regular Meeting

Members of the Altar and Rosary Society met in the home of Regina Claeys. Winners were Pat Billups, Regina Portz and Margaret McClimon. Mrs. Portz will be hostess Thursday nite, February 3.

### Past Noble Grands Meet

Mrs. Allen Elliott was hostess Wednesday evening to sixteen past Noble Grands in her home. Mrs. Charles Helble presided.

Prizewinners were Lydia Gast, Mary Mess, Myrtle Kober and Bessie Sierk. Johanna Fawcett will be the February hostess.

### PRINCETON

By Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Suiter have moved to LeClaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Johnson, Janine, Mari Beth and Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Alden Baayen, Craig, Mark and Connie all of Eldon, Ia., were recent weekend guests in the Kennedy home.

Raymond Bruce Cole celebrated his birthday with a family party in his home.

W. C. Schmalz was guest of honor at a birthday party with a group of school mates. He was nine years old.

A birthday dinner was served in the Charles Helble home, honoring Mrs. Helble.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Michel of Clinton are parents of a son, Paul Thomas. His grandmother is Mrs. Amelia Hirl.

Ray Bowley underwent surgery Monday at Davenport Osteopathic Hospital.

Mrs. George Pinneo was taken to the Osteopathic hospital for X-Ray on Friday.

Al Grosz, reportedly, has the mumps.

Mrs. August Erling has been ill in her home the past week.

Mrs. Ralph Porter spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Mary Dannatt, in Davenport for the latter's birthday.

Mrs. Court Spinsky has returned home from Mercy hospital.

### LE CLAIRE

By Mrs. Elmer Hussett

Mrs. Grace Van Duzer fell on the street in Davenport and fractured her arm and nose. She is at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. T. Domer are spending the winter in California. Their address is: 7792 Etiwanda Etiwanda, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bair of Canal Shore have sold their home and will be leaving for California after the first of February. Their son, Bob, has been living on the West Coast for a year.

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## 4 INJURED IN TRUCK-TRAIN CRASH

### JOHN SCHARFF SERVICES TUESDAY

Funeral services for John Scharff were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in the McGinnis Funeral Home in Bettendorf.

Mr. Scharff, a well known lifelong resident of LeClaire township passed away at the age of 77 in his rural home Sunday morning. He had been ill for several months.

The son of Hans and Anna Scharff, he was born April 24, 1877, and on September 1, 1914, married Eva Coffin in Davenport. He farmed prior to his retirement.

Interment was in Glendale Cemetery, LeClaire. Rev. C. E. Burdine, pastor of the LeClaire Presbyterian church officiated. Bearers were Frank Dreschler, Court Spinsby, Clyde Johnson, Otto Haessler, William Atkinson and George Held.

Surviving are the wife; four daughters, Mrs. Floyd Johnson and Mrs. Harold Haessler, both of LeClaire, and Millie and Eva Scharff, both of Rock Island, Ill.; four sisters, Mrs. Lena Peitscher and Mrs. Minnie Saltau both of Princeton, and Mrs. Martha Hofeld, Moline and Mrs. Matilda Rusch, Davenport. Two grandchildren and one great-grandchild also survive.

### LE CLAIRE FIRE

#### DEPT. ELECTS

LE CLAIRE — At their regular January meeting, members of the LeClaire Fire Department elected officers for the year.

Tony Maag was elected president. Don Scharff was elected vice president and Ralph Crabb, secretary-treasurer. Others elected are as follows: Harvey Phillips, fire chief; Pat Dittmer, first assistant chief; Percy Hulet, second assistant chief; Harry Boyer, second mechanic (Chief Phillips is first mechanic); and Ray Connally, electrician. Gordon Pelo is chairman of the resuscitator unit.

At the February meeting, which is the second Tuesday of the month, additional appointments will be made.

#### P. T. A. Orders Playground Equipment

PRINCETON — The regular P. T. A. meeting was held Tuesday, January 18, at the school with thirty-two members present.

Mrs. Betty Purlington read an article "Have You Got What It Takes To Be Happy?"

A report from the membership chairman, Mrs. Marge Dreschler, indicated there are eighty-three current members. It was also reported that new playground equipment has been ordered from providers of the Winter Carnival.

The program for the evening was presented by the first grade room, Mrs. Evonda Enyear, teacher. Refreshments were served after the program.

#### Board Appoints Trustee

A Davenport man has been named by the county board of supervisors to fill a vacancy as trustee of the county public hospital.

H. W. Boll was elected together with Wesley Schmalz, both from Princeton, by write-in votes at the November 4 election. Boll indicated that he would be unable to serve. Schmalz has accepted.

### Don Wisgerhof Opens New Yard

LE CLAIRE — The former manager of Hart Lumber Co., Don Wisgerhof, has assumed his duties as manager of a new yard being opened by Deniston Partidge Co.

The lumber and building materials firm is now constructing office and yard facilities on Brady street road, between Davenport and Mt. Joy.

Wisgerhof opened the Hart yard in LeClaire in 1948 and under his supervision the firm has grown rapidly.

Scott Hansen, an employee of the firm, has been named manager of the LeClaire yard to succeed Wisgerhof.

#### Safe Skating Provided

Both LeClaire and Princeton have improvised ice-rinks for enthusiasts of the steel blades.

In Princeton, earth was walled up on a vacant lot along the river, across from Elliott's Store.

At LeClaire a shallow earth dike was scooped up-to-form the rink which is situated on the river bank, just north of the depot. Lights are used for after-dark.

### Lincoln Township Officer Appointed

The Scott County Board of Supervisors has appointed Richard Steckel as constable in Lincoln township. The action was taken up at their meeting on Monday, January 17.

#### P. T. A. MILK PROGRAM NEEDS FUNDS

#### Honors Two Families

LE CLAIRE — A farewell party was held a week ago Friday at the Presbyterian Church for Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bair of Canal Shore and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bowley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bair left the following Monday for California where they will make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Bowley will move to Denver, Colo. Mr. Bowley will leave about February 1 and his family will join him later.

A large group of their friends were in attendance for the pot luck supper and party.

#### Altar and Rosary Honors

#### Departing President

LE CLAIRE — The Altar and Rosary Society of St. Henry's Parish met Wednesday evening in the church hall.

Mrs. Dorothy Strieck resigned as president, Mrs. Robert Benson, vice president will succeed her. Mrs. Strieck was presented with a going-away gift. Mr. and Mrs. Strieck are moving to Idaho the first of February having sold their home in LeClaire.

#### LeClaire Womans Club Set New Meeting Date

LE CLAIRE — The LeClaire Womans Club will meet on February 8, instead of the previously announced date.

Rev. Cecil Smith from the First Christian Church of East Moline will speak and show a film on his trip to the Holy Land.

### Hugh Johnson Retires From Railroad Work

PRINCETON — A long time railroad agent in this community, Hugh Johnson, has retired from railroad service.

Mr. Johnson went on sick-leave in March of last year. Even though he has regained his health he decided not to return to his position as agent.

Johnson has been a railroader for many years, having worked for other lines prior to the DRI&NW Railway. For a while he was engaged in his own business, but returned to railroad work.

Mr. J. J. Van Bockern, general manager of the company, has announced that Arnold Bowers of LeClaire will succeed Johnson as agent. Bowers, formerly a night operator at the LeClaire station was the senior applicant for the position.

### FARMERS SAVINGS BANK ELECTS OFFICERS

#### State Club President To Speak

Mrs. Harold Nissen, president of the State Federation of Women's Clubs will speak Tuesday, February 1, at the Lend-a-Hand in Davenport.

There will be a noon luncheon followed by a meeting at 1:30. The LeClaire Womans Club Chorus will sing.

Mrs. C. E. Simonton, president of the LeClaire Club, and Mrs. Frank Clark, president of the county club will attend from LeClaire.

#### LE CLAIRE — The LeClaire

P. T. A. held their January meeting Thursday evening at the high school. Mrs. Loretta Buchheit, president called the meeting to order with Rev. M. O. Burnam giving the prayer.

The room count came out in a three way tie with Miss Dannatt, kindergarten; Miss Miller, 3rd grade; and Mrs. Jones, 4th grade. By mutual consent Miss Miller, 3rd grade received the book for this month.

It was brought up that to be able to continue the milk project for the first three grades, for the remainder of the year, it will be necessary to add to the fund. For this purpose it was decided to give a one-act play and home-talent show. The date has not been indicated. Anyone interested in participating should contact Mrs. Dixie Boesch.

During the next month, Founders Day will be observed. Mrs. Billings has offered to bake the cake and Mrs. Herman, program chairman, announced that there will be a style show.

At the close of the business meeting, several accordian and vocal selections were given by Miss Priscilla and Master Jan Bucks. Mrs. Snyder, county nurse, showed film on mental illness in children and gave a short talk on how home life will affect it.

Refreshments were served by Miss Miller's 3rd grade with Mrs. Bennett, room mother, as chairman.

#### Losers Entertain

The losing side, in the attendance contest of the teenagers Presbyterian Sunday School class, entertained the winners at an ice skating party Sunday nite. Lunch followed the skating.

### ROADS and BRIDGES TO BE REBUILT

The County Board of Supervisors has sent a resolution to the State Highway Commission at Ames for construction of several miles of farm-to-market roads and in this sector of the county.

Three separate roads, about ten miles total distance, will be rebuilt. The roads connect Eldridge, Long Grove and McCausland, with U. S. Route 61.

Four bridges in the area will also be rebuilt; two are situated on County Road A, between LeClaire and Argo, and the others on County Road F in Lincoln township.

It is expected that contracts will be let early this summer and actual work will be started shortly after awarding the work.

### TRAIN HIT TRUCK ON CROSSING IN LE CLAIRE

LE CLAIRE — Four men were injured, one seriously, about 3:45 Saturday afternoon in LeClaire when a truck in which they were riding was struck at a private crossing by a southbound train.

Injured were William Lingle, LeClaire, owner and driver of the truck, William Kem and his two sons, William and Richard, Jr., of Illinois. Reportedly, all of the occupants were riding in the cab.

The injured men were given medical attention by Dr. Lyster of LeClaire and then were taken to the Davenport Osteopathic Hospital in a McGinnis ambulance.

It was reported that the late model pick-up was loaded with coal and leaving Haessler's coal yard and drove onto the tracks from the river side.

The train, a Milwaukee Road extra freight was headed for Davenport. After a thirty minute delay the train proceeded. The truck was heavily damaged and the footboard and forward step of the engine was splintered and bent.

A wrecker from Norton's service station was called to remove the damaged truck from an adjacent track.

### War Mothers Sew Carpet Rags For Vets

PRINCETON — Mothers of World War II, Unit 5, held a day-long sewing session in the home of Mrs. Edna Dodds, Wednesday, January 19, at which time rug-rags were sewed for Schick Hospital in Clinton. The meeting was well attended and a pot-luck luncheon was served at noon.

The next sewing meeting of the unit will be announced at their regular meeting, which is Tuesday, February 1.

### Church Workers Announce Events

PRINCETON — Twenty Presbyterian Church Workers attended an all-day sewing Thursday in the home of Mrs. Ray Davis. Pot luck dinner was served at noon and business was transacted during the afternoon.

A "Valentine Tea" and auction will be held Monday, February 14 in the church. The following committee will be in charge; Florence Dennis, Freda Meiner, Eunice Auliff, Elaine Stewart and Vi Spinsky. The public is invited.

World Day of Prayer will be held Friday, February 25, in the Princeton Presbyterian Church. Mildred Porter, Hazel Wilkinson and Mina Huston will have charge of the program. Registration will be handled by Sarah Dannatt, Daisy Davis and Evelyn Rothenberger and the dinner committee is Eunice Auliff, Ethel Oakes, Ollie Suiter and Mildred Carter. A pot luck dinner will be served at noon, following the morning program.

An afternoon sewing meeting will be held Thursday, January 27, in the home of Eunice Auliff. The next regular meeting will be in the home of Esther Scheel.

#### LE CLAIRE 500 CLUB MET

The 500 Club met at the home of Mrs. Mary Bratcher last Tuesday evening. Prizes were awarded to Jessie Borgman, Fritzie Kruse, Audrey Dittmer and Elaine Crawford. Mrs. Don Youngers, who celebrated her birthday on January 13, received a birthday gift from each one in the club.

### LATE PROGRESS REPORT —

#### Princeton Boosters Club Endorses

At a meeting of the Princeton Boosters Club Friday night, members voted to send a letter to the Governor and State Highway Commission, endorsing the petitions being circulated and asking for improvement of highway 67. The letter will be signed by the Boosters members.

#### LeClaire has 553 petition signers

Louis Herman, mayor of LeClaire has reported that the road petitions circulated in the town of LeClaire, has been signed by 553 residents.

#### Mayors to meet with Legislators

George Volrath reports that a meeting will be scheduled within ten days, between mayors of several Eastern Iowa towns and State Senator Schroeder, and Representatives Riley Dietz and Don Petrucci.

The purpose of the meeting will be to arrange for the presentation of the petitions, regarding highway 67.

Mayors from Camanche, McCausland, Princeton, LeClaire, Riverdale, Bettendorf, Maysville will be invited to attend the meeting. Inasmuch as Pleasant Valley is not incorporated and has no mayor, a representative from that area will be invited.

At the meeting a committee will set up to handle matters pertaining to the effort to secure the road improvements.

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## Think It Over!

By Jim McMeekin

### MUSIC CLUB ORGANIZED

LE CLAIRE — A music club called "The Jolly Musicians Music Club" was formed at a meeting in LeClaire on Sunday.

The club are pupils who study music under the direction of Mrs. Ed Schultz. They will meet once a month.

The following officers were elected; Karen Domer, president; Marilyn Van Alstine, vice president; Charlotte Hollister, secretary; Kathy Crawford, treasurer; and Sue Ann Holtz, monitor.

The next meeting, which will consist of study period, program and social hour, will be held at the home of Algene Schwanz on February 27.

### Church Choir Met

LE CLAIRE — The Willing Workers of the LeClaire Presbyterian Church will meet at the church Friday, January 28, at 2 p.m. Anyone interested in the church is invited to attend and participate in a number of projects planned to help the church.

The Church Choir has started to practise for Easter services. Anyone interested in choir work are asked to attend rehearsals on Thursday's at 7:30 p.m.

The choir of the Presbyterian Church in LeClaire held a chili and oyster supper Wednesday evening. The purpose of the gathering was to make music preparations for Easter services.

### Youth Fellowship

#### Plans Party

Presbyterian Youth Fellowship met Wednesday evening in the home of Marlene and Darlene Rogers. Mrs. Huston led the devotions.

The group voted to buy a door chime for the new manse.

A party was planned for February 13 in the church. Gloria Wolfe will be the February hostess.

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# COFFEE TIME

by  
Leona Farley

I have always wished that I would have the energy next spring and summer that I imagine I have now while leafing thru the new seed catalogs planning a garden.

Somehow it all seems easy to work out on a piece of paper — a nice big garden with lots of vegetables and flowers — but then comes spring and time for spading the plot. That is when I end up with a garden about a yard square.

Anyway lets you and I have a cup of coffee together and leaf thru all the nice new spring and summer catalogs that are arriving in our mailboxes.

The mailman may have thought the Boxholder containing coupons and advertisements a headache — but now I have heard that a mail order catalog is offering real live ponies, birds, dogs and even Mexican mules. What will they think of next?

Lady speaking on phone over a party line was heard to say: "My front doorbell is ringing. Hold the phones."

Thinking of laying new linoleum this spring? Use a rolling pin to roll out the air pockets for a tight, permanent seal.

You can have an ottoman to match any chair by simply covering a wooden box and a foam rubber cushion with the same material used to slip over the chair.

DAFFYNITION — Snoring is what might also be called "Sheet Music".

If your scatter rugs have a tendency to curl up, vacuum clean them on both sides. Then apply a thin coat of white shellac to the underside.

Two flies were enjoying a walk on a ceiling, when one remarked: "Aren't those people who own this house silly?" "How do you mean?" asked the other. "Well," said the first, "they spend a lot of money building a beautiful ceiling like this, then they go walk on a plain wooden floor."

Paint and string oil tape measures empty thread spools to make unusual tie-backs for sewing room drapes.

All of the children, with the exception of one, had handed in the homework that the teacher had given them. When the teacher asked the little fellow why he did not get it done, he replied: "Have you ever tried getting some homework done on a night when somebody finally proposed to your sister?"

A man was arraigned for assault and brought before the judge. Judge: "What is your name, occupation and what are you charged with?" Prisoner: "My name is Sparks; I am an electrician and I am charged with battery." Judge: "Officer, put this man in a dry cell."

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK — He is happiest, be he king or peasant, who finds peace in his home.

— Goethe —

### COOK of the Week

### ELAINE CRAWFORD

The recipes we have this week to pass along to you are thru the courtesy of Mrs. Elaine (A. Vern) Crawford of Route 1, Le Claire. Elaine is the mother of two children, Verlaine Kathy and Roger, both students at Cody elementary school. When I asked Elaine what her hobby was, she replied, "Housework — but she added that she also enjoys music and reading.

The following are three of the recipes that Elaine's family finds quite tempting:

### LIMAS AND SPARERIBS

2 C. or 1 lb. dried lima beans  
6 C. or 1 lge can tomato juice  
3 t. salt  
2 lb. spareribs  
1 t. salt  
1 med. onion, chopped  
1/4 t. black pepper  
1 t. tabasco sauce  
1 t. dry mustard  
1/2 C. unsulphured molasses  
Wash beans; soak overnight in 5 C. tomato juice. Add the 3 t. salt; cover and simmer until beans are tender. DO NOT BOIL. Pour half the beans into a casserole. Rub 1 t. salt over spareribs and place in casserole over the beans. Add onion. Mix remaining ingredients with 1 C. tomato juice and pour over the beans. Bake 1 1/2 hours in moderately slow oven (350 degrees). Uncover and bake 20 to 30 more minutes. Serves 10.

### COFFEE CAKE OR ROLL

1/2 C. sugar  
2 C. flour  
1 T. margarine or butter  
1 1/2 T. salt  
Mix the above as for pie crust. Warm 3 1/2 C. milk and pour 1/2 C. over the mixture. Add 1 small cake of compressed yeast, which has been dissolved in the remaining cup of warm milk. Add enough flour to make a stiff dough.

(To save time the shortening can be melted in warm milk.) Let rise in a large greased bowl for about two hours and then form either into rolls or coffee cake. Let rise again until double in size and bake in a 350 degrees oven until golden brown. If you do not want to use the dough right away, the formed rolls or coffee cake may be put in the tins and placed in the refrigerator. In case the dough has been kneaded down recently it may stand awhile at room temperature to rise more before baking. This same recipe can be used in making bread by just omitting the sugar.

### CHERRY PUDDING

1/2 C. sugar  
Butter the size of an egg  
1/2 C. milk  
1 1/2 t. baking powder  
2/4 C. flour

Mix all the ingredients and put in a baking dish. Cover with 1 can of drained red cherries. Over this pour 1 C. sugar. Dot with butter and then pour on 1 C. boiling water or cherry juice. Bake about 75 minutes in a hot oven (400) degrees. Serve warm or cold with or without cream.

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# COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

### Princeton, Iowa

The town council of Princeton, Iowa met in regular session January 3, 1955. Mayor Ken Purington presiding. Present: Peitscher, Litscher, Suiter, Wilkinson. Absent: Woerner.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's report: Receipts — Scott County \$485.99, Library Rent \$15.00, Fines \$20.00. Balance on Hand \$ 871.42. Moved by Litscher, seconded by Wilkinson that Treasurer's report be accepted. All yeas. Motion carried.

Bill Presented Farmers Savings Bank

Pmt of bond \$1000.00

Princeton Telephone Ex. 4.00

December bill 68.22

Ia-III Gas & Elec Co. 60.00

Lights 14.00

Glen O. Brown 75.00

Marshall's Salary 6.00

Harriet A. Shaw 3.00

Harriet A. Shaw 14.00

Clerk's Salary 10.00

Glen H. Suiter 12.00

Herb Peitscher 14.00

Council Fee 14.00

John Litscher 14.00

Harold Woerner 10.00

Council Fee 14.00

J. R. Suiter 14.00

Council Fee 14.00

Joe Wilkinson 12.00

Council Fee 14.00

K. L. Purington 14.00

Council Fee 8.00

John Mohlman 35.00

City Hall & Street Labor 5.00

Chas. Branstetter 23.10

City Hall & Street Labor 12.25

Thos. O'Toole 23.10

Law Mowing 23.10

Weaver Const. Co. 23.10

Crushed Rock 23.10

H. E. Lund Imp. Co. 41.83

Marshall's car equip. and street equipment 64.87

Wayne Youngers 5.80

Fuel Oil 14.00

Arnold V. Holst 3.00

Bulldozing Dumb 3.00

Moved by Suiter, seconded by Litscher that bills be paid. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Peitscher, seconded by Litscher that beer permit be issued to Geo. Beuse. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Wilkinson, seconded by Litscher that meeting be adjourned. All yeas. Motion carried.

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## Mrs. Minnie R. Brown Buried in Le Claire

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie R. Brown, age 92, of Le Claire were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the McGinnis Funeral Home, Bettendorf. Mrs. Brown passed away at the home of her daughter in New Haven, Conn., on Jan. 27.

Rev. C. E. Burdine officiated. Interment was in Glendale Cemetery.

The former Minnie R. Stone was born in Le Claire on October 25, 1862. She taught school in Le Claire township for several years and on January 1, 1884, she was married to Samuel M. Brown in Le Claire. The couple farmed in the community for many years.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Elmer W. Ferguson, New Haven, Conn.; a grandson; and a sister, Mrs. Frank Suiter of Le Claire.

## Father of Area Resident Passed Away Monday

Milton A. Russell, age 82, the father of Mrs. Edith Hill and Mrs. Clarence Hill, both of Princeton, passed away in Fairfield, Iowa, late Monday night.

Mr. Russell had been ill for two weeks and was hospitalized for one week. He was a frequent visitor here with his daughters and their families.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Behner Funeral Home in Fairfield.

In addition to the two daughters here, surviving are another daughter, Mrs. Oliver Gohn of Fairfield; 18 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren and one brother. He was preceded in death by his wife, three brothers and three sisters.

## Frank Leamer Buried In Montana

Funeral services and burial for Frank E. Leamer, formerly of Princeton, were held at Laurel, Montana.

Earlier plans were to return the body to Princeton for burial.

Mr. Leamer was born in Princeton December 25, 1876. He had lived in Montana for many years. He was a nephew of Miss I. Pollock of Princeton.

## Lutheran Women Announce Meeting

PRINCETON — Women of Zion Lutheran Church will hold their regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening, February 9, at 7 o'clock at the church.

Mrs. Calvin Gast and Mrs. Cora Jones will be hostesses.

## Mother's Club Hold Card Party

The recently formed Mother's Club of Pleasant Hill school sponsored a public card party Wednesday night in the Princeton Community Hall.

Seven tables were in play. Winners were Tony Portz, Martha and Walter Holst, Augie Erling, Edna Holst, Ivan Wilson, Elaine Stewart, Norman Nissen and Bernard Wulf.

## PRINCETON SCHOOL ROOM ENLARGED —

### Telephone Company

### Changes Bill System

Something new has been added in the Le Claire and Princeton Telephone Exchanges office in Princeton.

The subscriber lists of the exchanges continues to grow and the number of toll tickets has also increased.

You will, no doubt, recall that several months past the due-date for the Princeton exchange was shifted from the 1st to the 15th of each month. This was necessary to spread the billing work.

Much of the billing work is done by the operators in the time they could find away from the switchboard. Due to the increase in the number of phones and their increased use, less and less time has been available for accounting work.

The owner, Russell Enyeart, decided that if some of the hand-work of billing could be reduced, they could serve users more quickly and a little more perfectly.

A new addressing machine was installed. The machine addresses all billing forms correctly, three copies each - in less than one hour. Previously, by hand, the job consumed many, many hours of tedious work.

There is still much hand work which remains to be done. For instance, in December there were over 6,000 toll tickets to be sorted and filed - according to telephone numbers.

Near the end of the 30-day billing period, these tickets are all itemized to supply subscribers with as much information as can be reasonably given with the monthly statement.

A new Burroughs billing machine has also been installed.

The billing machine enters the amount of telephone rent plus federal and state tax; tax on tolls, if any; miscellaneous charges (installing, moving, etc.) with a code indicating the nature of the charge; balance from previous month, if any; and the total amount of the bill. The machine enters the amounts in the proper spaces and makes three copies in one operation.

Mr. Enyeart stated that the total amount is due on the date shown, which allows twenty days to pay for the service. He also indicated that if there are troubles, problems or questions concerning any phase of telephone service or billing method, he is anxious to answer your questions and be of help.

### MUSIC IN THE AIR —

#### PART TIME

There is "Music in the Air" — part time, at least — in Johanna Fawcett's third and fourth grade class rooms in the Princeton school.

The fourth grade boys "purchased" a radio, yes a real one-on FUN-TV, a subsidiary of WOC-TV in Davenport.

The transaction took place on Saturday and the reported purchase price was 8,000 Iowa milk labels.

PRINCETON — Over-crowding of school facilities is being felt in the Princeton school.

There are 12 kindergarten youngsters attending school for a half-day in the morning. This class is held in a basement room.

During the morning session — while the kindergarten uses the basement space — the first and second grades, a total of 38 pupils, are combined in one room under the charge of one teacher.

In the afternoon there is not a kindergarten and the first graders, twenty in number, are moved to the basement room and are taught by Mrs. Enyeart. Mrs. Helble then has only the second grade of 18 pupils in her room.

Since Monday a carpenter has been busy in the basement. A partition between a room previously used for kitchen purposes and an adjoining storage area has been removed to provide a second class room in the basement.

The kindergarten will use the additional space in the basement and the first grade class will occupy what was the kindergarten room.

It has also been reported that Mrs. Enyeart will be engaged as a full-time first grade teacher. Under the present arrangement, Mrs. Enyeart teaches the first grade in the afternoon only and Mrs. Helble has both first and second graders in the morning.

### LeClaire 'High' Team Reverses Loss

LE CLAIRE — Reversing an early season loss, Le Claire's high school boys basketball team upset St. Joseph's Catholic high school of DeWitt, 34 to 31 in a game played Wednesday night at DeWitt. Kitchen was high scorer for the Le Claire team with 17 points - half of the games winning score.

In a preliminary game the Le Claire Junior High team won 27 to 18.

In a non conference game at Bennett Friday night, Le Claire's boys team won a close game 48 to 46. As the boys have done in the past they trailed closely through the game and in the closing minutes take the lead to win.

Bennett's girls won over Le Claire's five by a score of 53 to 27.

### Farm Bureau

#### Community Meetings

A Farm Bureau Community meeting will be held Tuesday, February 8, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sawyer.

Ralph Zindell will show slides and report on the national convention which was held in New York. Herbert Klindt will report on Hawaii. The 4-H girls will provide musical entertainment.

A community meeting of the Pleasant Valley township Farm Bureau will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday, February 4, at the Argos church.

#### Parents of son -

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Voss of Le Claire are parents of a boy born Wednesday at St. Luke's in Davenport.

## LE CLAIRE CIVIC CLUB RE-ORGANIZED

### COUNTY OFFICES MOVED

A new court house for Scott county is a reality. For several weeks the Board of Supervisors had negotiated for space for the county offices while the old structure is being razed and the new building erected.

The Board of Supervisors has supplied the information below as to the location of county offices.

The Scott County court house telephone switchboard will be located in the Democrat Building, 424 Brady. The telephone number, DAVENPORT 2-3511 will remain the same and continue to reach all offices which it previously served.

The following is a list of the relocated county offices.

#### TREASURER

#### AUDITOR

#### RECORDER

#### ASSESSOR

#### CLERK

The offices above will be in the Democrat Building, 424 Brady.

#### SOLDIERS RELIEF

#### OVERSEER OF THE POOR

#### SOCIAL WELFARE

#### OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

#### SUPT. OF SCHOOLS

The offices above will be in the basement of the Kahl Building, 320 W. 3rd.

#### COUNTY ATTORNEY

#### BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

The offices above will be on the Seventh Floor of the Kahl Building, 320 W. 3rd.

#### SHERIFF

#### PROBATION OFFICER

#### COUNTY ENGINEER

#### SANITATION OFFICER

#### ZONING

The above offices will be in the Jail Apartment Building

#### JUDGES AND COURT ROOM

will be in the Davenport Post Office Building.

#### DRIVERS LICENSE DIVISION

will be located at 2104 W. 6th St.

It is suggested that this list be clipped and saved for future reference.

LE CLAIRE — The Le Claire Civic Club held a re-organizational meeting and supper at the school Tuesday evening.

Forty-seven signed-up for membership in the club which has an announced purpose of working for the benefit of the community.

The following officers were elected: David F. Lawlor, president; Orville Gleason, vice president; John Boesch, secretary; Robert Ginn, treasurer; and Chester Martin, director.

Regular meeting night will be the fourth Tuesday of the month. An invitation has been extended to all interested persons to attend the next meeting and join the club.

The club will sponsor a celebration the first week in August.

## Princeton Twp. Women

### Had All-Day Meeting

Thirty Princeton township Farm Bureau members and visitors attended the all-day meeting Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Raymond Hamilton. The recipes "Milk in the Diet" were used in preparing the noon meal.

Mrs. Orville Stewart presided during the business and reported on the training school and Candle lighting installation of all county chairmen by Mrs. Kepply. Mrs. Harry McConnell reported on "Publicity" and Mrs. Warren Hamilton rendered a report on "Schools."

The group voted \$5.00 to the polio fund. The secretary read into the records a "thank you" from the nurse at Pine Knoll for the Christmas gift which the group had sent.

Mrs. Lettie Zuber presented the lesson stressing the necessity of milk in the diet. Mrs. Zuber stated "there is no over-production of milk, but an under-consumption."

The next meeting will be a meeting beginning at noon February 23 in the home of Mrs. C. Moorhead with a pot-luck dinner. "Selecting Becoming Clothing" will be presented by Mrs. Zuber. Roll Call is to be answered by a Washington or Lincoln quotation.

## FURNACE 'PUFF' CAUSES SMOKE DAMAGE

PRINCETON — A hand-fired coal furnace in the home of Glen Miller exploded about 3:30 Sunday morning and caused heavy smoke damage to the interior of the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller had departed a short time earlier on their customary rural milk route. He had tended the furnace before leaving.

The Miller's three children, Beverly, 12; Janice, 10; and Ellen, 8, were in bed and were awakened by the family's two toy-terriers.

The children apparently did not hear the noise of the "puff," if there was any noise. The dogs barking aroused the children, who upon finding the house filled with smoke telephoned Fire Chief Herb Peitscher.

Peitscher learned from the telephoned information that there was no evidence of fire and the furnace was only smoking. However, as a precautionary measure, he asked the telephone operator to remain at the switchboard until he could investigate.

Upon arriving at the house, Chief Peitscher found the occupants outdoors. Inside, the house was filled with gas and smoke.

It was assumed that an accumulation of gas and smoke in the recently tended furnace had exploded. The force of the "puff" blew the fire-door open and dislodged the plug at the back of the furnace, scattering ashes around the basement.

Flames from the burning coal were coming from the open fire-door. Closing the door eliminated a serious threat of igniting the floor joists above the heating unit.

It was reported that the children were comparatively calm and had been well schooled on what to do in such an emergency. Peitscher reported that the occupants of the house had breathed the smoke-laden air for some time, inasmuch as their faces showed evidence of smoke with heavy collections around their noses. They apparently suffered no ill-affects from the experience.

**Argo Church Supper**

**ARGO** — On Friday evening, February 11, there will be a congregational pot-luck supper in the basement of the Argo church.

All those who have birthdays during January and February will be honored guests.

**Peace Officers Meet**

Members of the Scott County Association of Justices of Peace and Constables met Wednesday evening at the Izaak Walton Lodge near Mt Joy.

Sergeant Dean of the state highway patrol addressed the group.

**Grit Club Card Party**

The Grit Club held a chicken pie supper at their community hall Wednesday evening. Some 240 were served. The proceeds are to be used to help pay for the building.

The regular meeting of the club will be held Thursday. On Saturday, February 5, a card party will be held at the hall.

**Cars bump**

**PRINCETON** — Cars driven by Roy Wood and Mabel Brunson 'bumped' about noon Saturday at the Lund Garage intersection. Damage, if any, was slight and details were not obtained.

**Willing Workers Met**

**LE CLAIRE** — The Willing Workers of the Presbyterian Church held their regular meeting at the church Friday afternoon. Nine members were present.

Reports were given by chairman of committees. A motion was made to buy three wastebaskets for the church and also to give the church treasurer \$150.00 as a gift from the Willing Workers.

Hostesses were Mrs. C. E. Burdine, Mrs. Irma Ford, Mrs. Agnes Fields and Mrs. Bernard Bennett.

**Public Chili Supper**

**LE CLAIRE** — The Young Married Peoples class of the Presbyterian Church will serve a Chili Supper at the church February 16.

Tickets for the supper are now available and may be secured from members of the class.

**Attend Lumber School**

Clifford "Skip" Suiter of Hart Lumber Company, LeClaire, left Sunday night by train for St Paul, Minnesota.

"Skip" will attend a lumbermen's short-course at the University of Minnesota. The course is an annual function at the school and last for thirty-days.

**War Mothers Met**

**PRINCETON** — Fifteen Mothers of World War II met Tuesday evening in the Princeton school. Three new members, Mrs. Marge Klemme, Mrs. Helen Shaw and Mrs. Ethel Oakes, were given obligations of order.

Mrs. Leone Ruhberg, hospital chairman, reported that 30 dozen cookies were sent to the Veterans Hospital in Iowa City. Three dozen cookies were distributed to local shut-ins.

Mrs. Beulah Havenhill and Mrs. Leila Hoepfner were hostesses for the meeting. March hostesses will be Mrs. Irene Johnson and Mrs. Florence Dennis.

Mrs. Lena Woomert will be hostess to an all-day sewing meeting in her home Wednesday, February 16. A pot luck luncheon will be served at noon.

**Area Men Elected****By Loan Association**

At the annual meeting of the Davenport National Farm Loan Association officers and directors were elected.

James Connell of Long Grove was elected president and Roy M. Curtis of Princeton was named vice president. Two directors, Hugo Roehlk, Walcott, and Robert Marti, Long Grove, were also elected.

**LEGISLATION —****Senate passes vote bill**

A bill has been passed by the Iowa senate to permit town to nominate candidates for municipal offices by petition instead of primary election.

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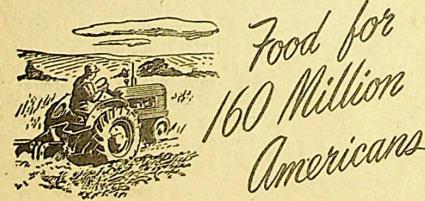
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**LE CLAIRE**

By Mrs. Elmer Hussett

Twenty-four relatives of Emil Kroeger helped him celebrate his birthday at the Kroeger home Friday evening. Games of 500 were played and prizes were awarded to Mrs. Charles Morgan, Mrs. Elaine Stewart, Mrs. Allan Elliott, Cecil Scharff and Ed Peitscher.

The bake-sale sponsored by St. Henry's Church in the city hall netted over \$30.00.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Maag and George Maag visited in Warsaw, Ill., Wednesday and Thursday at the home of George Maag's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barney have been on the sick list the past week.

The Masons held their regular meeting with a supper Friday evening at their hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schwanz and Algene spent the week end with their son who is attending school in Lexington, Missouri.

**COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 8 — LeClaire Womans Club meeting at Presbyterian Church annex. Farm Bureau community meeting home of Harold Sawyer.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9 — Women of Zion Lutheran Church meeting at 7 p.m. at the church. Public card party, St. Henry's Church hall, 500 and Bunco, at 8 p.m.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11 — Argo Church pot-luck supper at the church.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15 — Brownies, Dad-Daughter Date Nite, Bettendorf at 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16 — Girl Scout, Dad-Daughter Date Nite, Bettendorf at 6 p.m. Young Peoples Married Class of LeClaire Presbyterian Church a public Chili Supper at the church.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 14 — Princeton Presbyterian Church Workers, Valentine Tea and Auction, at the church.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17 — LeClaire P.T.A., regular meeting.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23 — Princeton township Farm Bureau women meeting at noon in home of Mrs. C. Moorhead.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25 — Princeton Presbyterian Church, observe World Day of Prayer, morning program with noon luncheon.

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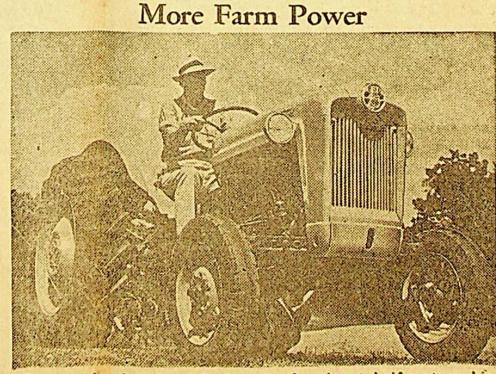
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## PRINCETON

By Mrs. Lloyd Slick

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Oakes, Mrs. C. B. Oakes and Dick Oakes attended the funeral of Mrs. Cora Worley Wednesday morning at Davenport.

Pfc. Eddie Wareham, son of Mrs. Eugene Oakes, has been assigned to Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., for army duty. He has completed a year in Korea and has been home 20-days.

Bob Lundholm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lundholm of Moline, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Hamilton is aboard a carrier located in the Formosa area.

Pfc. Russell Spinsby who is stationed near Nuremberg, Germany is expecting a visit soon from Melvin Hamilton who is located about 160 miles from him.

Henry Holst is improving in Jane Lamb Hospital where he has been a patient the past two weeks.

Mrs. Bruce Cole has been in Davenport Osteopathic Hospital the past week. She entered Saturday morning.

Cpl. and Mrs. Roger Havenhill and Douglas plan to be home from Fort Knox, Kentucky on February 3 for 15 days.

Mrs. George Pinneo returned home Wednesday from Davenport Osteopathic Hospital.

Calvin Fisher, Jr. returned home Tuesday from St. Luke's after surgery.

Joe Wilkinson spent last week in Louisville, Ky., where his mother is seriously ill.

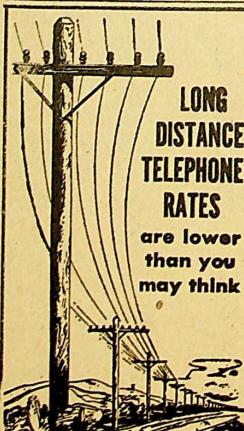
## PRINCETON

Ten boys gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Graham Sunday, January 23, to help their son, Stephen, celebrate his tenth birthday. Games were played and lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Helble left Monday for Florida where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Allen, Sharon, and Miss Carolyn Volrath drove to Great Lakes Sunday and spent the day with Jim Geisler, who is in boot training.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Gast left Tuesday for Phoenix, Arizona, where they will spend several months.



Most people always guess too high on long distance telephone rates. The rates are surprisingly low at all times... and even lower after 6:00 P.M. and on Sunday.

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## COFFEE TIME

by

Leona Farley

## FALLING SNOW

See the pretty snowflakes falling from the sky  
On the walk and house top  
Soft and thick they lie.

On the window ledges,  
On the branches bare;  
Now how fast they gather,  
Filling all the air.

Look into the garden,  
Where the grass was green;  
Covered by the snowflakes,  
Not a blade is seen.

Now the bare black bushes  
All look soft and white,  
Every twig is laden,  
What a pretty sight!

Author unknown

**Having had several requests for more salad recipes, I decided that this is a good time of the year to print them for you.**

Salads have an important place in the daily diet not only because they furnish the essential mineral salts, phosphorus, iron, calcium, magnesium and lime which are necessary for health, but also because they add variety and color to a meal.

Health experts recommend serving a salad twice a day, to insure a sufficient supply of leafy greens, which are the best source of vitamins and minerals, and because they are important body-alkalizers.

**There are three important points in making a green salad:**

1. Freshness and crispness of the greens. Ingredients should be cold.

2. Quality of the olive (or salad) oil and vinegar. Oil should be fresh and sweet; wine (not malt) vinegar, or lemon juice, should be used.

3. Blending of the greens and dressing. Blend dressing before adding to chilled greens, toss lightly until each leaf is slightly coated with dressing, taking care not to crush the leaves.

## CHIFFONADE SALAD

Romaine - Lettuce - Chicory Escarole - Sliced Cucumbers quartered tomatoes - French dressing. Blend equal parts of the crisp salad greens. Add French dressing and toss lightly. Add cucumbers crisped in ice water. Add tomatoes. Serve on chilled salad plates and garnish with chopped beets, chopped eggs and minced parsley.

## EGG SALAD BOWL

8 hard cooked eggs, halved  
4 C. shredded cabbage  
4 tomatoes, cut in eighths  
2 T. chopped scallions  
Crisp chicory  
1 C. French dressing  
1/4 C. sweet pickle relish  
2 t. dry mustard, dissolved in a little hot water  
2 t. sugar

Add relish, mustard and sugar to French dressing. Arrange all ingredients in chilled salad bowl and add amount of dressing to suit taste.

## SUPPER SALAD BOWL

1 C. shredded, cooked tongue or ham  
1 1/4 C. cooked vegetables  
6 scallions cut into 1 in pieces  
1/2 bunch water cress  
1/2 head escarole  
1/2 head romaine  
6 radishes, sliced  
3/4 C. silvered raw carrots  
3/4 C. silvered American or Swiss cheese  
French dressing  
Have all ingredients cold. Blend and serve in a salad bowl.

## RHUBARB SALAD

2 C. rhubarb, cut in pieces  
2/3 C. sugar  
1 T. gelatin  
1/2 C. cold water  
3/4 C. chopped nut meats

1 C. chopped celery

1 T. lemon juice  
Simmer sugar and rhubarb a few minutes. Soften gelatin in cold water, then stir into rhubarb and cook one minute longer. Remove from heat, add a drop or two of red coloring, and cool. When mixture begins to thicken add nut meats, celery and lemon juice. Pour into mold. Serve on shredded lettuce and topped with mayonnaise if so desired.

## WILD RICE SALAD

Blend cooked (dry) wild rice with an equal part of crisp diced celery, diced pineapple and seedless raisins (moistened in grape juice). Turn into a salad mold brushed with olive or salad oil and chill. Unmold on crisp salad greens and serve with cooked or mayonnaise dressing. Garnish with stuffed olives.

## SWEET POTATO SALAD

2 C. cooked sweet potatoes  
1 C. chopped celery  
1 small chili pepper, diced  
1/4 C. French dressing  
1 C. sliced, cooked ham  
Boil potatoes in jackets; peel and slice while hot, add chili pepper and marinade in French dressing. Just before serving, blend all ingredients with enough mayonnaise to moisten. Serve on crisp lettuce and garnish with quartered stuffed eggs.

## PARSNP SALAD

Blend boiled, chilled, sliced parsnips; crisp celery and walnut meats with a well-seasoned mayonnaise and serve on crisp salad greens or lettuce.

## STRAWBERRY

DESSERT SALAD  
2 C. large strawberries; 1/2 C. cream mayonnaise; 6 ripe peaches or fruit in season and 1/2 head crisp lettuce. Arrange peach halves on crisp lettuce. Add strawberries and mayonnaise. Serve cold.

When the color cakes of a child's water color set come loose from their backing, they can be stuck in place again with clear nail polish.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:  
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BAPTIST  
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Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Christian Life 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday:

Choir practice 6:45 p.m.  
Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN  
Princeton

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

ZION LUTHERAN  
Princeton

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

ST JAMES CATHOLIC  
Princeton

Father Tom Taylor Masses  
Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN  
LeClaire

Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE  
LeClaire

Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor  
Worship Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC  
LeClaire

Father Francis Duncan Masses  
Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

CALVARY CHAPEL  
LeClaire

Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Wednesday:

Prayer Service 7:45 p.m.  
Bible Study 7:45 p.m.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN  
Argo

Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale Pastor  
Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Bible School 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services 7:00 p.m.  
Midweek Services:

Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

METHODIST  
McCauley

Rev. Charles H. Stange, Minister  
Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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## FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF PRINCETON, IOWA

For Year Ending December 31, 1954  
January 1, 1954 through December 31, 1954

## RECEIPTS

	TAX RECEIPTS	OFFICE RECEIPTS	TOTAL
1. General Government	\$ 622.25	\$ 1265.00	\$ 1887.25
2. Street	1265.16		1265.16
3. Public Safety	638.50		638.50
4. Utilities	765.34	150.00	915.34
5. Debt Service	1211.64		1211.64
6. Road Used Tax	1819.91		1819.91
7. Liquor Profit	540.59		540.59
<b>GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$6863.39</b>	<b>\$1415.00</b>	<b>\$8278.39</b>

## EXPENDITURES

	SALARIES AND WAGES	EXPENDITURES	TOTAL
1. General Government	\$ 239.50	\$ 1549.00	\$ 1788.50
2. Street	668.97	3408.00	4076.97
3. Public Safety	676.20	20.00	696.20
4. Utilities		671.63	671.63
5. Debt Service		1120.00	1120.00
<b>GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$1584.67</b>	<b>\$6768.63</b>	<b>\$8353.30</b>

## CASH STATEMENT

Balance on Hand — January 1, 1954 \$ 956.83  
Total Receipts for Year Ending December 31, 1954 8278.39  
Total to Account for Total Expenditures for Year Ending December 31, 1954 \$9235.22  
Add — Warrants Outstanding January 1, 1954 \$8353.30  
Total  
Deduct — Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1954 10.50  
Total Deduct from Total  
Balance on Hand — December 31, 1954 \$8363.80  
Total to Account for Balance on Hand — December 31, 1954 \$7363.80  
Balance on Hand — December 31, 1954 \$1871.42

REPORT OF MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS  
DECEMBER 31, 1954

General Bonds Grand Total \$3000.00  
\$3000.00

## VALUATION OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO TAXATION ON ASSESSMENTS OF JANUARY 1, 1954

Class of Property:	
Real Property	\$331,420.00
Personal Property	43,510.00
Railroad Property	41,088.00
Telephone, Telegraph and Express Companies	2,289.00
Utilities, Including Transmission Lines and Pipe Lines	24,802.00
Total Except Monies and Credits	\$443,109.00
Total Monies and Credits	132,340.00
Total Valuation of All Property	\$575,449.00



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## Princeton Plans For Little League Baseball

### FIRE DAMAGES FARM HOME NEAR FOLLETT

Fire, shortly after noon Sunday, caused heavy damage to the farm home of Lawrence Metzger a mile north of Follett.

The blaze believed to have been started by chimney sparks on the wood-shingle roof had gained considerable headway before it was discovered.

Low Moor and Princeton fire departments responded to the alarm. Equipment from Low Moor, a truck and two tankers, reached the scene first. Shortly afterwards a truck and tanker arrived from Princeton.

When the Low Moor firemen arrived at the farm the east end of the south slope of the roof was ablaze. The fire had also burned through the roof and into the ceiling and wall of an upstairs bedroom, igniting the bed and other furnishings.

The fire was quickly confined to the same general area, but it was necessary to cut a hole in the roof to reach the fire between the upstairs ceiling and roof.

### Princeton Town Council

#### OK's Refuse Pick-up

Harold Hill appeared before the Princeton town council Monday night to outline a proposed scavenger service.

The Council voted to give the applicant permission to pick up garbage, ashes, cans and other refuse within the town limits.

Hill proposes to offer the service on the basis of a monthly charge to be paid by residents using the service.

### Area Students

#### On Honor Rolls

Patricia Dannatt, a senior at Clinton High School, received a straight "A" report card for the first semester. Charles Hamilton, a freshman at Bettendorf, received the same honors.

Other Princeton students on the Clinton 'high' honor roll were Sharon Graham, Nancy Elliott and Jane Fawcett. Jerry Suiter and Bob Sierk were on the Washington Junior High roll.

### Senior League To Join

#### National Group

PRINCETON — The Senior League of the Zion Lutheran Church met on January 30 at which time a motion was passed to become a member of the Luther League of America.

Officers for the new year were elected as follows: Darrel Ahlberg, president; Clodene Brunson, vice president; Kathy Holst, secretary; Eldon Kitchen, treasurer; Sandy Fischlein, refreshment chairman; and Jane Fawcett, publicity chairman.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Sandy Fischlein. Everyone is welcome and if you need transportation contact Pastor Otten. Jane Fawcett and Sandy Fischlein will serve refreshments.

Furniture was removed from the living room directly below the burning area. A large quantity of water was needed to control and quench the blaze. Water seeped through the second floor and loosened wallpaper and some plaster.

In an effort to minimize the water damage a trap trough was improvised to direct excess water out a second floor window. Firemen also scooped water from the bedroom floor.

After the fire was extinguished the bedroom ceiling was braced to prevent its collapse. The burned out portion of the roof was left uncovered to hasten drying of the interior framework.

The Metzger family had finished their Sunday dinner and were about ready to leave for the afternoon when the fire was discovered. Inasmuch as the fire was confined to one upstairs bedroom the family will be able to continue living in the house. Repair work will, no doubt, be started at once.

### Echo Rebekah Lodge

#### Committees Announced

PRINCETON — Mrs. Ella Scharff, Noble Grand of Echo Rebekah Lodge has announced the following committees:

PROGRAM, first six months, Bessie Sierk, Mildred Holst, Edith Schmalz, Myrtle Kober and Alvena Schmalz.

PROGRAM, second six months, Violet Suiter, Laura Holst, Feryl Clemmons, Eunice Auliff and Evelyn Wilson.

RESOLUTIONS, Ann Beuse, Pearl Erling, Edith Schmalz and Mildred Holst.

CANDLE BEARERS, Leona Guthard, Verla Carter, Eunice Auliff and Gladys Biles.

VISITING SICK, Myrtle Kober, Irma Litscher, Elizabeth Wood and Violet Suiter.

FLORAL, Alvena Schmalz, Elizabeth Wood, Celeste Peitscher and Joan Suiter.

BURIAL, Eunice Auliff, Laura Holst, Elma Elliott and Violet Suiter.

INSTRUCTOR, Ann Beuse.

### Legion Auxiliary

#### Held Regular Meeting

LE CLAIRE — The American Legion Auxiliary held their regular meeting at the hall Wednesday, February 2, with an attendance of fifteen members.

A sewing meeting was planned for February 15.

The program for the evening was a talk on "Americanism" by Mrs. Ora Jenkins.

Hostesses were Mrs. Grace Ettinger, Mrs. Clara Maag and Mrs. Grace Maag.

### LE CLAIRE 500 CLUB

The 500 Club met at the home of Mrs. Elaine Crawford on Tuesday, February 1. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Jessie Borgman, Bernice Youngers, Maxine Scharff and Audrey Dittmer.

### Brother of Mrs. Portz Buried at Bellevue, Iowa

A brother of Mrs. Anthony Portz of Princeton was buried at Bellevue, Iowa, on Tuesday.

Gregory Roeling, age 40, died late Saturday afternoon in a Bellevue hospital. Last rites were said at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday in St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Portz drove to Bellevue Thursday and returned again Saturday.

### Injured By Fall On Street

Mrs. Harold Kennedy fell on a downtown street in Le Claire Friday evening. She fractured a wrist bone.

### Playground Equipment Received

From proceeds of the Winter Karnival, which was sponsored by the Princeton P.T.A., playground equipment has been secured for the school children.

Mrs. Mildred Wilson, Mrs. Marge Drescheler and Mrs. Rhoda Evans were members of the purchasing committee.

Footballs, basketballs, softballs, bats and playground balls were purchased. These items are now being enjoyed by the pupils.

A jungle-gym has been ordered and will be erected upon arrival.

### Parents of daughter —

Mr. and Mrs. Einer Hyen are parents of a daughter born Thursday at St. Luke's Hospital in Davenport.

### LE CLAIRE TEAMS PLAY IN SECTIONAL MEETS

#### Boys Team Loses

#### To Bettendorf

A bid for class "A" sectional honors by the Le Claire boys basketball team was short lived at Bettendorf Tuesday night when the host team defeated the Hornets 83 to 48.

Area sports writers indicated a slight edge for the Le Claire team based on their conference record as compared to that of their opponents. Coupled with the high per-game scoring of team Captain Eldon Kitchen the Hornets had a better than average chance of advancing to district competition.

The do-or-die spirit of tournament play does strange things to statistics — so as the local basketball record book is closed for another season we can only say "better luck next year."

### Five Players Graduating

LE CLAIRE — Five seniors, three boys and two girls, concluded their high school basketball activities the past week in tournament play.

Babe Thompson and Grace Randolph, Co-Captains of the girls squad will graduate in June.

### Relative of Local People Buried at Oxford Jct.

Arthur J. Skinner, age 85, an uncle of Mrs. Ira Schwab, Princeton, and Mrs. Grace Bacon, Camanche, died Sunday afternoon at a Cedar Rapids hospital.

Funeral services and burial were held Wednesday at Oxford Junction, Iowa.

Mr. Skinner was born at Bedfordshire, England, and came to this country as a young boy.

Mrs. Schwab and Mrs. Bacon are sisters and together with Mr. Schwab attended the funeral.

### COMMITTEE APPEALS FOR COMMUNITY SUPPORT

Few Dollars and Volunteer Help is Needed to Provide Worthy Youth Program

A group of thirty interested people met Wednesday evening in the Princeton school to discuss the possibility of Little League Baseball in Princeton.

The local committee needs people to assist in the various phases of team training and management. Money in the amount of \$275.00 is also needed to purchase the franchise, team insurance, liability insurance, uniforms, caps and players protective equipment.

Boys ages 8 to 12, inclusive, are eligible to participate. Needless to say the training and experience would be of benefit for future sports activities, to say nothing of an organized activity to occupy the boys in the community.

In this area, Clinton will have eight Little League teams and Camanche is reportedly ready to put two teams into the program.

A spokesman for the local committee indicated that the time element is an important factor in securing the franchise and handling other organizational details.

For your convenience a form is printed below for you to indicate the assistance that you will give. Fill in the form promptly and mail to: LITTLE LEAGUE COMMITTEE, PRINCETON, IOWA.

Little League Committee, Princeton, Iowa.

Realizing that, "Our boys are the men of tomorrow," I am anxious to help establish Little League Baseball in Princeton.

I volunteer my services as (check appropriate space).

Score Keeper ( )

Umpire ( )

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Enclosed is \$ as a contribution, to be added to the Little League Fund.

I pledge \$ to the Little League Fund which will be paid (date).

(Signature)

(Box or Route Number)

(Postoffice)

We regret the necessity of having to skip last week's issue. The majority of this news was intended for last week.

A combination of working a week on the midnite 'til eight shift, extreme weather and a severe head cold caused the delay.

Hereafter our publishing day will be Friday of each week.

# THE WEEKLY NEWS

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## THINK IT OVER!

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

We "exchange" papers with our good friend, Perry Buxton, editor of the WHEATLAND GAZETTE. Perry has been in the newspaper business a long, long time, as was his father.

One of his many typical expressions is "If this newspaper is worth borrowing — it is worth a subscription."

We agree!

In an effort to make this newspaper easier to read we have added a little more space between the lines. We try to style our writing so you won't have to read between the lines.

A different type face for headings has been used for several issues, which we believe is an improvement. The type, by the way, was used by our neighbor to the north - The Clinton Herald.

We believe in giving credit where credit is due. Our reporters are doing a fine job and are furnishing far more news than appears under their respective columns. Many of the separate items and stories are supplied by our writers, but in a paper of this type it is not the practise to show "by lines."

We also appreciate the news material furnished by other individuals, clubs and organizations.

In the very near future this newspaper, in conjunction with several interested civic groups will present a Community Project for your consideration and support.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23 — Princeton township Farm Bureau women meeting at noon in home of Mrs. C. Moorhead.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25 — Princeton Presbyterian Church, observe World Day of Prayer, morning program with noon luncheon.

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GENERAL MERCHANDISE

# COFFEE TIME

by

Leona Farley

## COOK OF THE WEEK

### KATHERINE RAMSDALE

**YUM! YUM!** There are some real delicious oven-dish recipes for you this week through the courtesy of our guest cook, Mrs. Katherine Ramsdale, who is the wife of the Rev. C. S. Ramsdale of the Argo United Presbyterian church.

Katherine is the mother of four children; two daughters are married, one lives in LaCrosse, Wis., and the other in Downers Grove, Ill.; Margaret is a senior at Monmouth College at Monmouth, Ill.; and Joe is a freshman at the same college. She also has two grandchildren. The hobbies of Mrs. Ramsdale are music and crocheting.

Following are three of her recipes:

#### SPICED RIB CASSEROLE

2 lbs. spareribs,  
cut in two rib pieces  
2 T. brown sugar  
½ t. salt  
¼ t. ground cloves  
¼ ground ginger  
1 T. Worcestershire sauce  
1 14 oz. can pineapple tidbits  
½ t. onion salt  
3 one-pound or two 20½ oz.  
cans baked beans  
½ t. ground cloves  
½ t. ground ginger

Arrange ribs in 8x12x2 in. baking dish. Combine brown sugar, salt, the ¼ t. of cloves and ginger, Worcestershire sauce and syrup drained from pineapple. Spoon half of this mixture over ribs, then sprinkle with onion salt. Bake uncovered for one hour in 350 degree oven, basting frequently with pan drippings.

Remove ribs and set aside; then pour off any fat from baking dish. Combine baked beans, pineapple tidbits and remaining ingredients in the baking dish and arrange ribs on top. Spoon remaining pineapple syrup mixture over ribs and return to oven. Bake uncovered 45 min. longer until beans are hot and ribs are brown and crisp. Yield: 5-6 servings.

#### CROWN ROAST OF WEINERS

16 weiners  
2 T. chopped onion  
4 slices bacon, diced  
3½ C. or No. 2½ can sauerkraut  
3½ C. or No. 2½ can  
cooked potatoes  
½ C. melted butter  
or margarine  
½ C. finely chopped parsley

Run a string through weiners one inch from top and another string one inch from bottom. Tie together forming a circle and stand up on heat-resistant platter. Sauté onion and diced bacon together until brown. Place sauerkraut inside the weiner ring and top with onion and bacon mixture.

Roses are red

Violets are blue

This is my Valentine

Greeting to you.

Well, I'll admit that I'm no Longfellow — so come on let's go to the kitchen for a cup of coffee. Valentine's Day is just around the corner and it seems to bring out the poet in the most of us.

I read a Valentine greeting that a young swain penned to his gal, that went something like this:

The gladdest words of tongue or pen  
Or music unsurpassed —  
Will be when I can purr to you:  
"Alone at last!"

My ol' timer friend says:  
"If you continue to look backward while trying to go forward, you are bound to stumble along the way."

A ceiling-high valance hung over a wall-to-wall tub will hide the shower-curtain rod. Cover the wood with waterproof plastic.

To provide an airtight seal, for a can of paint that has been opened and partially used store the can on the shelf in an inverted position after pressing the cover shut as tight as possible.

#### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

All I have seen teaches me to trust the Creator for all I have not seen. — Emerson.

Dip potatoes in melted shortening; roll in parsley and place around weiners. Cover entire platter with aluminum foil. Bake in 350 degree oven for 45 min. Yield: 8 servings.

#### HAM CASSEROLE

with PINEAPPLE SLICES

1½ C. finely diced cooked ham  
2 C. cooked rice  
6 slices pineapple  
¾ C. milk  
½ t. salt  
1 T. melted butter  
½ C. water

Simmer the onion and green pepper in the water until tender. All of the water should be used. Add all the remaining ingredients except the pineapple slices and butter. Cook until most of the milk is absorbed, stirring constantly. Pour into a well-greased shallow oven dish about 10x6x2 in. Arrange slices of pineapple over the top, brush with melted butter and place under broiler for a few minutes until pineapple slices are lightly browned. Yield: 6 servings.

## Altar and Rosary Society

### Held Regular Meeting

Twenty members of the Altar and Rosary Society of St. James parish attended the regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Anthony Portz.

Following the business portion of the meeting prizes were awarded to Pat Billups, Barbara Knapper, Vera Doyle and Effie McKnight.

The March hostess will be named later.

## Fellowship Meeting Held

PRINCETON — The Junior Youth fellowship of the Presbyterian Church met Monday night in the church with eleven present. Francis Tague led the devotions. Lunch was served by Mrs. Dannatt, the sponsor.

## GRASSY LANE CLUB MET

Twenty-two Grassy Lane Club members met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Alvina Schmalz. Mrs. Harold Siem presided. Prizewinners were Margaret Anderson, Olga Kerr, Dorothy Holst, Ethel Oakes and Bessie Sierk. Mrs. Lambert Storjohann will be the March hostess.

## BIRTHDAY BUNCO CLUB

On January 27 the club met with Carol Beuse.

Wednesday, February 2, Janice Fries was hostess. Handkerchief gifts were given to Mrs. Erma Litscher for her birthday. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Pat Tabor, Mrs. Erma Litscher and Mrs. Mary Matlock.

The next hostess will be Mrs. Beulah Havenhill.

## Among top five

A-3c Robert C. Atkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis C. Atkinson, Route 1, Le Claire, has been cited as being one of the top five of a class recently graduated at Air Force Base Military Training Wing near Parks, Calif.

## Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sierk Feted

Twenty members of the Orville Birney family helped Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Sierk celebrate their birthdays at a supper. Wednesday night the bridge club surprised the couple and brought a ham dinner with all the trimmings. A dinner party was held Thursday noon with six friends in attendance and Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kerr were dinner guests.

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## PRINCETON

By Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

Wesley Schmalz made a business trip to Des Moines on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Storjohann will move to the Bernard Wolfe farm.

Richard Storjohann, who is employed in Parker, S. Dak., recently attended a Hereford cattle show in Denver, Colo. He had the misfortune of losing his billfold containing money and draft card.

Elmer Graham, who has been ill is improving in his home.

Pvt. Franklin Benadom has been transferred from Ft Smith, Ark., to Ft. Bliss, Tex.

Alyn Anderson has returned home after two years of army duty. He and his wife had been in Germany the past 15 months. Mrs. Anderson returned several weeks ago. They will farm near Maple Park, Ill.

Sunday guests in the Wayne Youngers home were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Holst, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Youngers, Fanny Muzzy and Ed Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Billups visited his father and other relatives over the week end in Stronghurst, Ill.

Mrs. Edward Holst underwent surgery in Mercy Hospital and is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thomas and family who have been employed for the past three years at the Wesley Schmalz farm will move on March 1 to Rural Route, Davenport.

Mrs. Bruce Cole underwent surgery Wednesday in Davenport Osteopathic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Biggs were dinner guests Wednesday evening in the Gene Oakes home.

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CHILDREN WELCOME!

S Sgt. and Mrs. Earl Brockhouse and two boys, Dwight and Randy, are home from Mather Field, Calif., where he has completed four years in the air force. A family dinner was held in the home of Mrs. Alvena Schmalz honoring Mrs. Brockhouse on her birthday. The family attended a dinner Sunday in the home of Mrs. Alberta Graaf, the occasion being her birthday.

Mrs. Ella Peters of Davenport arrived Sunday and is spending some time with Mrs. Schmalz.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Siem, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Siem and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Siem visited Monday in the Jergen Reese home in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Reese.

Cpl. and Mrs. Roger Havenhill and Douglas arrived home Wednesday from Ft Knox, Ky., for fifteen days.

## LE CLAIRE

By Mrs. Elmer Hussett

Mrs. Elmer W. Ferguson of New Haven, Conn., who came to Le Claire for the funeral of her mother is visiting relatives and friends in the vicinity.

Marilyn Bragonier and Lila McConnell visited in Ames with Lila's sister who is a student at Iowa State College.

Mrs. Darlene Dittmer rendered two solos and the Le Claire Woman's Club Chorus also sang at the meeting of the Education Department of the Woman's Club of Davenport.

Mrs. Margaret Fecker has gone to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Moeller to help care for Mr. Moeller who has been in the hospital after being hit by a car as he was going to the mail box.

Harry Puck has been visiting in Le-Claire for the past month will return to Texas on Thursday.

Hannah Rath of Davenport was a visitor Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Maartin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Powell of Davenport were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hussett.

Carl Gustafson is very sick in St. Luke's Hospital.

Ray Barney has been taken to St. Luke's Hospital.

Ruth Barney who is stationed at Chicago has been home the past week.

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Miss Harriet Fertig who is in nurses training at St. Luke's Hospital in Davenport left Sunday for Independence, Iowa, for three months training at the Institute of Mental Health.

Lee Boley has moved to Denver, Colo., to accept a position at St. Joseph's Hospital. He will be the superintendent of grounds and buildings. Mrs. Boley and Fred will join him later.

Mrs. Max Roller and Mrs. Lee Boley represented the Presbyterian Church at a meeting in Davenport on Sunday. It was an area conference on Missions.

The Missionary Society will meet Friday at the home of Mrs. Anna Lippold.

The Eastern Star held their regular meeting Monday evening with thirty three in attendance.

## ARGO

By Mrs. Laura Gast

Rev. and Mrs. Ramsdale, Joe and Margaret motored to Chicago last week to visit Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dau. Mrs. Dau is a daughter of the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Moorhead who have lived at Clarmont, Iowa, for the past year are moving back to a farm near Maysville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Richardson who have lived at the W. E. Farm for the past year are moving to their new home in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dexter and family moved last week to a farm which they purchased near Galesburg.

Roy Bowley returned to his home on Saturday after being in the hospital.

Rev. C. S. Ramsdale of the Argo church and Rev. Carl H. Berkenkof of the Lutheran church in Eldridge motored to Ames Monday to attend the Iowa Christian Rural Institute at the Iowa State College.

Mrs. Lena Fletcher has been quite ill.

In spite of the stormy weather last Friday night a large number attended the Le Claire township Farm Bureau meeting in the Argo church.

Last Sunday night the special Youth Night Service at the church with the young people in charge and their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Auliff was very nicely done.

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Princeton

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

ST JAMES CATHOLIC  
Princeton

Father Tom Taylor  
Masses

Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN  
Argo

Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale  
Pastor

Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Bible School 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services 7:00 p.m.  
Midweek Services: Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

METHODIST  
McCauley

Rev. Charles H. Stange,  
Minister

Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
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Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

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LeClaire

Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples

Service 6:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:45 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service and  
Bible Study 7:45 p.m.

BAPTIST  
LeClaire

Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.

Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Christian

Life 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

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## Proposed Legislation —

Agriculture committees of the Iowa senate and house have received from a joint subcommittee a proposed bill for the separation of the extension service and the Farm Bureau.

The Farm Bureau has indicated that it will not oppose the separation, providing that steps are taken to safe-guard the continuation of an effective extension service.

## 100 DISTRICTS - COUNCILS

The bill provides for the creation of 100 county agricultural districts. (One for each county in the state, except Pottawattamie, which will have two districts.)

Each county district will be controlled by a county council made up of one elected member from each township. The councils are to be organized to take over on August 1, 1955, but will serve only until the end of this year at which time full-term council members will have been elected.

## SUPERVISORS SUPPLY FUNDS

The county board of supervisors will appropriate money for the county program.

A maximum budget has been specified which amounts to one-half mill on all property in the county, but not more than \$20,000. The director of extension at Iowa State College must certify the program before the appropriation can be made.

The county extension fund would be disbursed by the council treasurer.

## EXTENSION PERSONNEL

The council would employ the necessary extension personnel from a list of qualified nominees furnished by the director of extension.

## EMPHASIS ON COUNCIL

Having set up the basic structure for the county extension service the remainder of the bill deals with the election of council members and "do's" and "don'ts" for the council.

Council members would be elected, one from each township for a two-year term. Terms would be staggered whereby only half of the council would be elected in a given year. Each member would be allowed to be re-elected once. Council members would not receive pay or expenses.

Council members would elect their own officers and the council would be charged with the responsibility of preparing and adopting an educational program of work related to agriculture, home economics and rural life.

It should be remembered that this is proposed legislation and the enacted law may differ.

## Princeton Livewires Hear About Sewing and Music

By Connie Klemme

The regular meeting of the Princeton Livewires was held at the home of Mary Jo Soltau on January 15.

The meeting was called to order by the junior president, Carolyn Tobey. Lila McConnell took roll call which was "My New Year's Resolution" and she also gave the secretary's report. Pat Dannatt gave the treasurer's report.

Sharon Graham talked on "Tools You Need" — for a sewing kit. A demonstration on "Choosing Appropriate Colors and Color Combinations" was given by Pat Dannatt. Beverly Dannatt gave a report on our listening number — "Dance of the Camorristas."

After adjournment everyone enjoyed the lunch served by Mrs. Soltau and her daughter, Mrs. Oliver.

## LeClaire 4-H Girls

### Instructed On Posture

BY Marie Siedlinger

On February 5 the Le Claire Boosters held their regular meeting at the home of Priscilla Bucks. The highlight of the meeting was the showing of slides on posture, by Mrs. Zuber. The slides showed the correct and incorrect way to stand.

Bonnie Wilson gave a talk on "How to Choose Clothing Design." Judy and Jerry Moffit gave a demonstration on "Mending, Darning and Sewing on Buttons." "Making a Simple Blouse" was the subject of a demonstration given by Betty and Judy Carstens. It was announced that Joanne and Doris Havill were to play for Tri County camp this year.

It was decided to sell subscriptions for The Weekly News.

March 26 was selected as the date for a skating party to be held at the Trio Roller Rink.

In addition to the club leaders, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Claussen, others present were Mrs. Zuber and Mrs. LaVerne Arp.

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## GIRLS SECTIONAL

CALAMUS	(69)	CALAMUS	(75)	CALAMUS	(48)
DURANT	(52)			(Final)	
LE CLAIRE		LE CLAIRE	(37)	LE CLAIRE	(38)
(Not Paired)				(Consolation)	
CLARENCE	(77)	CLARENCE	(79)	CLARENCE	(57)

CLARENCE  
To District Tournament

BUFFALO	(32)	BENNETT	(52)
		(Consolation)	
BENNETT	(47)	BENNETT	(38)

GRAND MOUND (33) (Final)

## BOYS SECTIONAL

DE WITT	(54)	DE WITT	( )
ST MARYS CLINTON (43)			
LE CLAIRE (48)	BETTENDORF ( )		(To District Tournament)

BETTENDORF (83)

## BOYS TEAM SEASON RECORD

LeClaire 33	Welton 30
Andrew 39	LeClaire 30
Buffalo 50	LeClaire 48
Durant 66	LeClaire 36
Le Claire 36	Baldwin 32
LeClaire 67	Elvira 36
Charlotte 37	LeClaire 33
DeWitt 73	LeClaire 58
LeClaire 43	Sabula 30
Elvira 77	LeClaire 48
LeClaire 57	Charlotte 30
LeClaire 60	Baldwin 46
Sabula 52	LeClaire 46
LeClaire 58	Atalissa 48
Le Claire 63	Buffalo 56
Le Claire 34	De Witt 31
Le Claire 48	Bennett 46

## CHEERLEADERS

Elsa Shugars
Kathy Holst
Velma Broderson
Dorothy Hultquist

## GIRLS TEAM SEASON RECORD

Le Claire 49	Welton 32
Andrew 43	Le Claire 42
Le Claire 49	Buffalo 28
Durant 35	Le Claire 26
Baldwin 38	Le Claire 37
Le Claire 47	Elvira 28
Charlotte 53	Le Claire 40
Le Claire 41	Elvira 34
Charlotte 60	Le Claire 35
Baldwin 42	Le Claire 36
Atalissa 59	Le Claire 53
Le Claire 57	Buffalo 43
Bennett 53	Le Claire 27

## LE CLAIRE GIRLS TEAM

Babe Thompson
Grace Randolph
Evalie Brockhouse
Loretta Thompson
Jan McCollam
Joyce Dreese
Marion Beebe
Leila Long
Kaye Parrick
Betty Broderson
Pat Reep
Francis Mandelko
Anna Gilbert

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FRIDAY, MARCH 11, 1955

## School Election Monday Mar. 14

Monday, March 14, is School Election Day throughout the area.

The regular school election of the Princeton Independent School will be held in the school basement from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m.

Two directors will be elected for a term of three years, commencing March 21, 1955. Candidates are Elmer S. Brown, Tom Frazier, Alfred Drechsler and Russell Enyeart, the latter two seeking re-election.

In Princeton township elections will be held at the various rural schools during the day (exact schedule not obtained) and include Grassy Lane, Maple Glen, Lost Grove, Sand Hill and Pleasant Hill districts.

LeClaire township elections will be held as follows;

Cody Elementary School for districts No's 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6. Time, 7 to 9 p.m.

Sycamore School for district No. 5. Time 4 to 7 p.m.

Voters in the township will decide the following:

"Shall the Board of Directors of LeClaire Township School District of Scott County, Iowa, be authorized to enter into an agreement with the Board of Directors of Rural Independent No. 1 (Stone) School District of LeClaire in Scott County, Iowa, wherein such school districts will be united and merged."

### Lutheran Women

#### Form Two Circles

Women of Princeton Zion

### Teen - Agers

#### Organize Ball Team

#### PLAN FUND-RAISING DANCE

Twenty teen-age boys held an organizational meeting Thursday, March 3, at the Princeton City Hall and planned a program of ball team activities for the coming season.

The group is in addition to the Little League program and is for boys in the 13 to 17 age brackets, inclusive.

Elected to serve in various capacities were; Jack Hall, manager; Jim Graham, captain; and Butch Volrath, secretary-treasurer. Tom Frazier, Les Long and George Volrath will serve as advisors.

Regular business meetings will be held the first Thursday of each month at the City Hall. The next meeting will be April 7.

To raise funds, the team will sponsor a public dance at the Princeton Community Hall on Friday, April 29. Tickets will soon be available.

#### Boosters To Raise Fund

#### For Little League Team

The Princeton Booster's Club will sponsor a Pancake Supper to raise funds for the Little League ball program in Princeton. (The date has not been set and will be announced later.)

The Teen-Age ball team members have volunteered their help

### Lodge Receives "Traveling Emblem"

Echo Rebekah Lodge of Princeton has received the "Traveling Emblem" from the LeClaire lodge.

Past Noble Grands will meet with Myrtle Koeber Friday, March 11.

The lodge will hold a public card party Wednesday, March 16, at their hall.

### Teachers Attend Art Workshop

Teachers from this area recently attended an Art Workshop at Bettendorf.

Those attending were Mildred Holst, Mary Mess, Mildred Benson, Margaret McClinton, Elva Kraft, Mary Hood, Johanna Fawcett, Verna Helble, Evonda Enyeart, Iola Wenzel and Mabel Clement.

Work was done with finger paintings, paper mache, clay and other items of which things can be of interest to children.

Pupils of the teachers enjoyed seeing the teacher's workshop products which were taken to school classes.

### Princeton Livewires Have Lesson on "Making Blouses"

The February meeting of the Princeton Livewires 4-H club was held at the Sharon Graham home.

Thirteen members, two leaders and two visitors were present.

Roll Call was "Pictures of Color Combinations."

Beverly Dannatt was chosen as junior leader of the club.

# COFFEE TIME

by

Leona Farley

## COOK OF THE WEEK

MAXINE SHARFF

Honoring us this week with some recipes is Mrs. Maxine Scharff of Le Claire, whose husband, Don, owns and operates Scharff's Appliance Store.

Maxine is the mother of three children; Bonnie, who is 13-years of age and a student in the seventh grade; and Wayne and Nancy Jo, who are seven and eight years old respectively and are in the second grade at school.

Taking care of the children, the housework and helping her husband in the store keeps Maxine pretty busy — so for hobbies she and Don spend their spare time in the winter months bowling and boating in the summer. At present they belong to two bowling teams, one is a mixed group and the other consists of Maxine and Don and Mr. and Mrs. Chappie Morgan.

Following are two of her family's favorite recipes:

### PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES

1 C. shortening  
1 C. white sugar  
1 C. brown sugar  
2 eggs  
1 C. peanut butter  
Approx. 2 C. all purpose flour  
1 1/2 t. soda  
1 t. baking powder

Cream shortening together with sugars, then beat in eggs followed by peanut butter. Sift flour, soda and baking powder together, then add to bowl and mix well. Form into little balls. Place on greased cookie sheet and criss-cross with fork dipped in flour. Bake at 325 degrees until brown. Makes two dozen cookies.

### JAMBOLI

1 C. rice  
1 can of tomatoes  
1 slice of ham  
1 small onion

1/2 t. salt

Prepare rice according to directions on package. Dice ham and onion together and fry until brown in skillet. Add all ingredients to rice. Place in a buttered baking dish and bake at 350 degrees for 30 to 45 minutes, or until brown on top.

A request for a very dark-colored chocolate cake recipe was received by me recently from Mrs. Leonard Graham.

After scouting around I believe I found a recipe that should make that type of cake. It is as follows:

### DARK DEVIL'S FOOD CAKE

1 C. cocoa  
7/8 C. boiling water  
2 C. sugar  
1/2 C. butter or margerine  
2 eggs  
2 1/2 C. sifted cake flour  
1 1/2 t. baking powder  
1 t. soda  
1 1/3 t. salt  
1 C. thick sour milk  
1 t. vanilla

Dissolve cocoa in boling water and allow to cool. Meanwhile, cream shortening and sugar, add beaten eggs; sift flour with baking powder, salt and soda and add, alternately with sour milk. Stir in cocoa and add vanilla. Bake in a large greased pan 10x15x2 1/2 inches at 350 degrees for about 40 minutes.

A good way to warm a few rolls or biscuits without lighting the oven is to heat them in the top of a double boiler.

Bake an open apple pie in large deep pie plate. Ten minutes before removing the pie from the oven lay a ring of large potato chips on the surface, just inside the pastry rim.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:**  
As the purse is emptied the heart is filled. —Victor Hugo.

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

### Princeton, Iowa

The town council of Princeton, Iowa, met in regular session February 7, 1955, Mayor Ken Purington presiding. Present: Peitscher, Litscher, Suiter, Woomert. Absent: Wilkinson.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report: Receipts: \$303.00, George Beuse; \$87.33 Road Use Tax; \$15.00, Library Rent; \$256.11, Liquor Control. Balance on hand \$952.72.

Moved by Litscher, seconded by Woomert that Treasurer's report be accepted. All yeas. Motion carried.

Bills Presented:

Ia. Emp. Sec. Com.	
FOAB Tax	\$13.46
State Permit Bd.	
Beer License	3.00
Farmers Savings Bank	
Saf. Dep Box Rent	3.00
Princeton Telephone Co.	
January Bill	4.65
Ia. - Ill. Gas & Elec Co.	
Lights	74.66
Glen O. Brown	
Marshall's Salary	60.00
John Mohlman	
Street Labor	28.00
Hirl's Standard Service	
Tractor Gas	1.95
Wayne Youngers	
Heating Oil	56.32
Cecil Hamilton & Sons	
Road Rock and Sand	34.75
The Weekly News	
Publishing	11.70
Iowa State Industries	
Street Signs	19.25

Moved by Peitscher, seconded by Suiter that bills be paid. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Suiter, seconded by Peitscher that council give consent for Harold Hill to set up a garbage collection and disposal system in the town, the cost to be borne by his customers. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Suiter, seconded by Woomert that meeting adjourn. All yeas. Motion carried.

Harriet A. Shaw, Town Clerk.

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## WAPSIE VALLEY LITTLE LEAGUE FORMED

PRINCETON — At an area-wide meeting Wednesday, March 9, in the Princeton town hall the Wapsie Valley Little League was organized. The league is made-up of teams from Camanche, Low Moor, Princeton and LeClaire.

Association officers are: Sam McHenry of Camanche, president; Otis Hofer of Low Moor, vice president; Lester Long of Princeton, treasurer; and John Boesch of LeClaire secretary.

Team managers were also named at the meeting, they are: Camanche, Bill Paar; Low Moor, Don Fuller; Princeton, Tom Frazier and for LeClaire, Tony Maag.

Present plans are to open the season in May after official approval of the franchise by the National Little League.

During the season games will be scheduled to start at 6 p.m. and each team will play a total of 18 games.

Official approval is expected later this month. When the franchise is granted players will be invited to try-out for the team in their respective communities.

The next business meeting of the league will be at 7:30 p.m. in the Low Moor fire station on Thursday March 24.

## Date Changed For Public Dance

The public dance to be sponsored by the Teen Age ball team, previously scheduled for April 29 at the Princeton Community Hall, has been changed to Saturday, April 30. Tickets are now on sale.

## PRINCETON SCHOOL ELECTION VOTE HEAVY

PRINCETON — A heavier than usual vote was cast Monday in the Princeton Independent District school election. A total of 72 voters cast their ballots.

Al Drechsler was re-elected and Tom Frazier was elected to fill two three-year director's terms commencing March 21.

In rural Princeton township there were no contests in any of the five districts.

Wesley Schmalz was re-elected director of Grassy Lane school and in the Maple Glen district Verne Staacher was re-elected as director. In other districts the following directors were elected: Sand Hill, Wayne Little; Pleasant Hill, Milton Gast and Lost Grove, Walter Brown.

## Services for Mrs. Elsie Bucks Held Friday

Mrs. Elsie Bucks, 69, of the Argo area passed away Wednesday in a Davenport hospital. She had been ill for two months.

Services were held Friday at 1:30 p.m. in Bettendorf. The Rev. J. A. Miller officiated with Rev. C. S. Ramsdale assisting. Interment was in Glendale cemetery at LeClaire.

Born on January 13, 1886, in LeClaire township, the former Elsie Lippold married Emil Bucks in June, 1904. Until Mr. Buck's death in 1942 the couple farmed near Argo.

Surviving are two sons, Walter and Russell; two daughters, Mrs. Waldo Doerscher and Mrs. Ben Doerscher; twelve grandchildren; a brother, Carl Lippold and two sisters, Mrs. James Holst and Mrs. John Heldt.

## Father of Mrs. Alf Schulz Buried At Camanche

Funeral services were held on Thursday in Camanche for Henry F. Mensinger, 68, commercial fisherman. He had been in failing health for several months.

Mr. Mensinger was the father of Mrs. Alfred (Bessie) Schulz of Princeton. In addition to Mrs. Schulz, two daughters, three sons, two brothers and several grandchildren and great grandchildren survive. His wife, parents and two brothers preceded him in death.

## Lutheran Women To Hold Quarterly General Meeting

The General Meeting of the women of Zion Lutheran Church will be held Tuesday evening, April 5, in the church. Mrs. Leonard Graham is the general chairman. Rev. Cecil Smith of the First Christian Church of Moline will show colored slides of his recent Holy land trip. The public is invited to attend.

The recently formed circles of the organization have been named and officers elected. Meeting on an evening schedule will be the MIRIAM CIRCLE. Officers are as follows: 1st vice president, Mrs. George Voth; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Johanna Fawcett; secretary, Mrs. John Farley and treasurer, Mrs. Marion West. The RUTH CIRCLE will meet during the afternoons. Officers are as follows: 1st vice president, Mrs. Calvin Gast; 2nd vice president, Mrs. Bernard Wolfe; secretary, Mrs. Hugh Johnson and treasurer, Mrs. Frank Norton.

## Mrs. Jack Santee Injured By Fall

Mrs. Jack Santee sustained a severe cut on her forehead when she fell on the steps at her home. Eighteen stitches were required to close the wound.

## Princeton Livewires Have Lesson In "Belt Making"

By Mary Jo Soltau  
The Princeton Livewires 4-H club held their regular meeting at the home of Carolyn Tobe on March 12.

A belt making lesson started at 10 a.m. The afternoon meeting began with roll call, which was "My favorite television program," and was answered by 2 leaders, 11 members and 1 visitor.

Demonstrations included: "Making Simple Hoop Aprons," by Carolyn Tobe, "Staylining and Attaching a Collar," by Pat and Everly Dannatt, and "Setting in a Sleeve," by Lila McConnell.

The listening number was: "Song of the Toreador."

Members received tickets for the Mother-Daughter Banquet. The club decided to sing at the Farm Bureau community meeting, which will be held at the Maple Glen School on April 5.

A delicious lunch was served by the hostess and Mrs. Tobey. The highlights of the next meeting, on April 16, will be the good grooming contest, and will be at Beverly and Pat Danatt's home, available from members.

## Birthday Bunco Club

The Birthday Bunco Club met at the home of Mrs. Mary Matlock. The next meeting will be held Thursday, March 31, at the home of Mrs. Mary Nissen.

## LE CLAIRE TOWNSHIP VOTE FAVORS MERGER

### David Adams Home Following Surgery

PRINCETON — David Adams is home from University Hospital, Iowa City, where he underwent surgery six weeks ago.

He is improving satisfactorily and may enroll soon at the University for a restricted course for the remainder of the year. Until fully recovered from his major surgery his duties and activities are to be less heavy for at least six months.

David has been very active at the University. For last year's homecoming game he painted a huge scenic backdrop which was used during the half-time events.

### LeClaire High School 'Honor' Students

The following were announced as the top seven students of the senior class at LeClaire High School:

Valedictorian	Shelby Slater
Salutatorian	Mary Lea Roller
Third	Wanda Lee Latimer
Fourth	Micki McClinton
Fifth	Carolyn Voth
Sixth	Mary Sidlinger
Seventh	Marlin Steele

### Style Show At LeClaire P. T. A. Meeting

Sophomores of the LeClaire high school home economics class presented a style show at the LeClaire P. T. A. meeting.

The apparel modeled consisted mainly of clothes made by the girls. In addition to past generation representations, possessions of some of the girl's families, - Parkers of Davenport also supplied several 'creations' for modeling purposes.

Mrs. Jack Krava supervised the showings.

### Rebekah's Continue Public Card Parties

Previous public card parties sponsored by the Echo Rebekah Lodge have met with such favor that they are going to do it again. Nine tables were in play at the party last Wednesday night.

The next card party will be held Tuesday, April 5, at IOOF hall starting at 8 p.m.

### Leaguers Skating Party

Lutheran Junior Leaguers will hold a roller skating party at the Trio in Davenport Friday, March 25, from 10 to 12 p.m. Tickets are available from members.

At the annual school elections, held Monday in LeClaire township, voters indicated approval of the proposed merger of Independent No. 1 (Stone District) into the combined districts school system.

Sixty percent of the voters in the Stone district cast affirmative votes. In the combined districts, which voted at Cody and Sycamore schools, about 90 % favored the merger.

The sentiment vote is only the initial step required to effect the merger. The proposition must also be approved by the Scott County Board of Education, State Board of Education and action is required in the present Iowa Legislature.

The following directors were elected in LeClaire township:

No. 1	Arnold Holst
No. 2	James Lively
No. 3	Russell Bucks
No. 4	Henry Claussen
No. 5	Elwyn Kroeger
No. 6	Al Borgman
Director at Large	Walter W. Paul

### Past Noble Grands Install Officers

Fourteen Past Noble Grands met last Friday night with Mrs. Art Kober, who was installed as president of the club. Other new officers and committees are: vice president, Eunice Aufill; secretary, Feryl Clemons; treasurer, Celeste Peitscher; musician, Mildred Holst; warden, Elaine Stewart; marshal, Johanna Fawcett.

Committees are as follows: program, Mildred Holst; Violet Suiter and Feryl Clemons; social, Bessie Sierk, Irma Litscher and Laura Holst; floral, Edith Schmalz and Elma Elliott; initiation, Elizabeth Wood, Alvina Schmalz and Lydia Gast.

The next meeting will be Friday night, April 8, in IOOF hall.

### Altar and Rosary Society Met

The Altar and Rosary Society of St. James Parish met with Mrs. Barbara Knapper on Wednesday evening. Twelve members and one guest were present.

Winners were Mrs. A. Portz, Mrs. Effie McKnight, Mrs. Annabelle Doyle and Mrs. Amelia Hirl.

### Grassy Lane School

Twenty one Grass Lane Club members met in the home of Mrs. Lambert Storjohann with Mrs. Harold Siem presiding.

Mrs. Nick Siem will be hostess at the April 6 meeting.

The school will hold a bake sale Saturday, April 2, in Boll's store. Donations will be appreciated.

# THE WEEKLY NEWS

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## EASTER SEALS —

During the past year, 118,000 crippled persons of whom more than 100,000 were children, received care and treatment in the 1,000 centers and programs financed by Easter Seal funds.

The annual appeal for funds is now in progress and will continue through Easter Sunday, April 10.

Send your contributions to CRIPPLED CHILDREN care of your local postoffice.

## Card of Thanks

We wish to thank all the friends and neighbors for the flowers, cards and kindness during the passing of our father, Henry "Hap" Mensinger. It was very much appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Schulz  
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## COOK OF THE WEEK

### SELMA BOLL

This week you and I have the pleasure of visiting with Mrs. Selma Boll of Princeton for two of her favorite recipes.

Mrs. Boll devotes her time between her household duties and helping her husband, Heinie, in their store. Therefore, she said that she did not have much time left for hobbies. The Bolls' have two children, Leone and Merlin, who both live at home.

Now here are those two recipes that we hope you will enjoy trying.

### COCONUT MACAROONS

2 1/4 cups sifted all purpose flour  
1 1/3 teaspoon baking soda  
2 teaspoons baking powder  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1 1/4 cups shortening  
1 cup white sugar  
1 cup brown sugar  
firmly packed  
2 eggs  
1 cup rolled oats  
1 cup chopped walnuts  
2 cups chopped coconut

Start your oven at 350 degrees F. or moderate. Sift flour, baking soda, baking powder and salt together.

Work shortening until soft. Then gradually work in both kinds of sugar until mixture is smooth and creamy. Beat eggs slightly and mix into the shortening mixture. Mix in the flour combination, rolled oats, walnuts, coconut thoroughly. This rather stiff batter is more easily combined if you use your hands.

Pick off little portions of dough and roll into balls, the size of a walnut. Place on ungreased cookie sheets, about 3 inches apart to allow for spreading and baking 12 to 15 minutes or until golden. Remove from cookie sheet when slightly cool, place on wire rack.

### STRAWBERRY FLUFF PIE

Put in refrigerator to chill — a 1 qt. bowl, the beaters from your electric mixer and 1/2 cup evaporated milk.

Dissolve — 1 pkg. strawberry Jello in 1 1/3 cups hot water

Add — 1/4 cup sugar  
Dash of salt  
2 Tablespoons lemon juice  
Chill — until partially set — then beat with electric or rotary beater until fluffy.

Add — 1 box frozen strawberries — partially thawed (or two cups fresh sliced strawberries)

Next — Whip until thick and stiff, the evaporated milk. Beat in

2 tablespoons sugar  
1 tablespoon lemon juice  
1 teaspoon vanilla

Fold — into strawberry mixture and pour into prepared graham cracker crust.

Chill — until serving time. Garnish each serving with a mound of whipped cream centered with berries.

### Graham Cracker Crust

1 1/2 cups fine crumbs — about 18 graham crackers  
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon  
1/4 cup sugar  
1/2 cup butter, melted  
Mix thoroughly and press into shape in a 9 inch pie pan.

A small boy was dressing one morning and his mother gave him the choice of wearing either a blue and white T shirt or a brown and white one. After looking at both he replied, "I want the chocolate one."

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# ARGO

By Mrs. Laura Gast

Mrs. Luella Henry of Davenport, formerly of Argo, recently celebrated her 95th birthday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale returned from an eastern trip on Saturday. Rev. Ramsdale attended a 3-day meeting of the Board of Administration in Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. Ramsdale visited with their daughter and family in Chicago.

Harlan Holst and Dickie Wilson pupils of Pleasant Hill School celebrated their birthdays last week. Harlan, who was eight, brought an Easter treat for the school and Dickie treated the school with ice cream and a birthday cake.

Nearly one hundred people attended the community supper and cake walk last Friday evening at the Pleasant Hill school. They cleared over seventy dollars.

The Willing Workers of the Argo church held their regular meeting Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Clarence Bowker. The leader was Mrs. Raymond Hamilton.

The Good Samaritan Young Women's Missionary Society held their meeting Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Foster Auliff. The leader was Mrs. Glenn Veatch.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Moore and son, Gary, of Long Grove and Mrs. Elva Kraft of Princeton were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher the first of the week.

Margaret and Joe Ramsdale, students at Monmouth College, were home for the weekend.

The Argo Junior Choir will meet on Friday, March 25, at 7 p.m. in the home of the director, Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fletcher of Des Moines, were house guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Fletcher, over the weekend.

### Doris Portz Wins

Doris Portz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Portz, was pleasantly surprised Tuesday morning while watching a nation wide television program.

Previously, Miss Portz had entered a TV contest and she was announced as a winner on the Sheila Graham program.

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## Princeton, Iowa

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dodds have returned home from Norfolk, Va., where he received his discharge after four-years of Naval service.

Mr. Dodds entered the service in March, 1951, and took boot training at Great Lakes. After 16 months at sea he was attached to the Officers Personnel Office in Norfolk.

Mrs. Dodds joined her husband in Norfolk and was employed at a bank in that city.

Upon the couple's return a family dinner, with 25 attending, was held at the home of Mrs. Dodd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orvie Birney.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Dannatt have received word that their son, Dick, is in Formosa.

He is with the Aviation Ordnance on the U. S. Midway. After entering service in May, 1952, he received boot training at Great Lakes. Later he was stationed in Norman, Okla. and prior to going overseas was at Jacksonville, Fla.

Gerald Ney who has been in Naval service at Jacksonville, Fla., spent two-weeks leave with his family here. He has departed for San Francisco for further assignment.

Pfc. David Brunson, son of Mrs. Mabel Brunson, participated in the latest series of atomic tests in Nevada. He entered the service in August, 1953, and is a member of the 3rd Marine Corps Provisional Atomic Exercise brigade. His unit was flown to the test site.

David had hoped to take part in the exercises, but at last report he was in the hospital for surgery. His mother was surprised to learn that he had participated.

The town council of Princeton, Iowa, met in regular session March 7, 1955. Mayor Ken Purington presiding. Present: Peitscher, Litscher, Suiter, Woomert, Wilkinson. Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Treasurer's report: Receipts: Library rent \$30.00, Road Use Tax \$203.77, Ia. Mutual Ins. Co. \$150.22. Balance on hand \$1053.27. Moved by Peitscher, seconded by Litscher that treasurer's report be approved. All yeas. Motion carried. Bills Presented:

Ia. - Ill. Gas & Elec

Lights ..... \$69.13

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February bill ..... 4.10

John Mohlman

Street Labor ..... 64.50

Dayton Arkie

Street Maint. ..... 10.00

Chas. Branstetter

Street Labor ..... 32.50

Glen O. Brown

Marshall's Salary ..... 60.00

Wayne Youngers

Heating Oil ..... 60.89

The Weekly News

Publishing ..... 12.70

Cecil Hamilton

Crushed Rock & Stone ..... 169.91

Moved by Suiter, seconded by Wilkinson that bills be paid. All Yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Woomert, seconded by Wilkinson that meeting adjourn. All yeas. Motion carried.

Harriet A. Shaw, Town Clerk.

## CORRECTION —

Mrs. Russell Bucks acted as temporary chairman of the Cody School Parents Club. We erroneously reported the name as Mrs. Walter Brooks. The mistake is regretted.

FRIDAY, MARCH 25 — Lutheran Junior Leaguers skating party at Trio in Davenport from 10 p.m. to 12 m.

SATURDAY, MARCH 26 — Bake sale at LeClaire fire station by Parents Club of Cody School.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30 — All-day meeting of Princeton township Farm Bureau Women at home of Mrs. Harry McConnell.

SATURDAY, APRIL 2 — Bake sale by Grassy Lane school at Boll's store.

TUESDAY, APRIL 5 — General meeting of women of Zion Lutheran church in the evening at the church.

Princeton township Farm Bureau community meeting at Maple Glen school.

Public card party sponsored by Rebekah lodge at IOOF hall at 8.

SATURDAY, APRIL 16 — Princeton Livewires 4-H club regular meeting at home of Pat and Beverly Dannatt.

THURSDAY, APRIL 21 — Skating party sponsored by St. Henry's Parish, LeClaire.

SATURDAY, APRIL 30 — Public dance at Princeton Community Hall sponsored by Teen-Age ball team.

## CHURCHES

ZION LUTHERAN  
Princeton

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

PRESBYTERIAN  
Princeton

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

ST JAMES CATHOLIC  
Princeton

Father Tom Taylor  
Masses  
Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN  
Argo

Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale  
Pastor  
Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Bible School 11:00 a.m.

Evening Services 7:00 p.m.  
Midweek Services: Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

METHODIST  
McCauley

Rev. Charles H. Stange,  
Minister  
Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN  
LeClaire

Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE  
LeClaire

Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor  
Worship Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC  
LeClaire

Father Francis Duncan  
Masses  
Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

CALvary CHAPEL  
LeClaire

Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples

Service 6:45 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service and  
Bible Study 7:45 p.m.

Saturday Choir Practice  
7:00 p.m.

BAPTIST  
LeClaire

Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

Young Peoples Christian  
Life 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday: Choir practice 6:45 p.m.  
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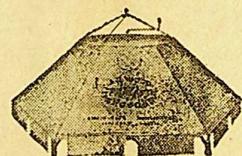
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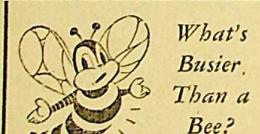
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## SURVEY

**EMERGENCIES —**

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There have also been cases of a non-emergency nature for which ambulance transportation was necessary.

**TIME - ALL IMPORTANT ! —**

The length of time required to get a seriously injured or ill person to a hospital is a very vital factor.

Due to our location, we must wait until an ambulance travels nearly twenty miles to our area - then again travel the same miles to reach a hospital.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT —**

Our fire department is well equipped and manned. In addition to three fire-fighting units, the department has a resuscitator and other emergency equipment.

It is believed that an ambulance would be an excellent addition to the department.

**PUBLIC SUPPORT —**

The initial cost of securing a suitable ambulance, properly equipped, would of necessity be paid by public contributions.

A little from a lot would assure peace of mind in knowing that should a need arise we have local facilities to reach a hospital without undue delay.

THE WEEKLY NEWS is conducting a survey to determine public interest. A form is printed below for your convenience. Kindly answer the questions and mail to this newspaper at Princeton, Ia. The information will be given to the officers of the fire department for appropriate action.

**AMBULANCE SURVEY**

Having read the proposal and answered the questions below, this survey form is returned to serve as a guide in this Community Project.

In the past year has your household had need for ambulance service? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Do you believe that an ambulance in this area would be beneficial? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Would you be willing to make a donation for the purpose of securing an ambulance? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature)

# THE WEEKLY NEWS

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## Attend Good Friday and Easter Services

### SPECIAL COMMUNITY SUNRISE SERVICE TO BE HELD OUTDOORS AT PRINCETON

A special Community Easter Sunrise Service will be held by Congregations of Zion Lutheran and Princeton Presbyterian Churches.

Starting at 6:00 A. M. the service will be held on the hill overlooking the Mississippi river at the Leonard Graham home.

If weather does not permit the services will be held indoors at the Lutheran church.

Rev. Richard E. Otten and Dr. H. J. Rendall will conduct the services. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Both churches are also planning special Easter Services for the regular worship hour.

### Zion Lutheran Joins In Good Friday Service

The Seven Last Words which Christ spoke from the Cross will be reviewed in a special service which will begin at 12:30 P. M. on Good Friday, at the Princeton Zion Lutheran Church. Faith Lutheran Church of Eldridge, and Trinity Lutheran of Pleasant Valley will also participate in this service.

Special Easter Services will be held at 11:00 A. M. the regular worship hour, in Zion Lutheran Church.

### Princeton Presbyterian Good Friday and Easter Services

Good Friday Services will be held at 7:30 P. M. when Dr. H. J. Rendall will speak on "The Three Crosses."

Several are planning to unite with the Church Easter and are requested to meet with the pastor in the church at 5:00 P. M. Friday.

Special Easter Services will be held at the regular Morning Worship hour.

### St. Henry's Parish Easter Schedule

Good Friday—Stations and Lenten Devotions at 7:30 P. M.  
Easter Sunday—High Mass at 9:30 A. M.

### Former Resident Passes

Mrs. Dewey Poston, a former Princeton resident, died Monday in a Davenport hospital, after an illness of one year.

The former Ida Rosell was born in Sioux Rapids, Iowa, in 1897. She and Mr. Poston were married in Burlington, Iowa, in 1922, and lived in Princeton until 1940, at which time the couple moved to Cordova, Ill. She was a member of the Princeton Presbyterian church.

Surviving are her husband, a son, a daughter, a sister, two brothers and several grand-children.

### Two LeClaire Churches Unite For Easter Sunrise Services

Foursquare Church and Gospel Tabernacle will join in Easter Sunrise Service to be held at 6 A. M. at the Calvary Chapel.

Rev. J. L. Hicks and Rev. K. E. Matschulat will be in charge of the Services.

Both churches will have additional Easter Services.

### Special Sunday School Program at Calvary Chapel In LeClaire

The Foursquare Church will hold Sunday School at the regular 9:45 A. M. hour.

Following Sunday School the children will have a balloon Ascension. Each child will release a gas filled balloon with a card attached bearing the name and address of the church. To those who return a card to the church a special gift will be presented.

At 11:00 A. M. a Special Sunday School program will be held in place of the regular worship.

At 7:45 P. M. Rev. J. L. Hicks will present an illustrated service "Resurrection Proofs", with Biblical scenery and live cast.

### Gospel Tabernacle Easter Observance

Services will be held at 7:45 P. M. on Good Friday.

Youth Services at 7:00 p.m. and Evening Service at 8:00 p.m.  
Sunday School and Morning Worship will be held at the regular hours of 10:00 A. M. and 11:00 A. M.

### Church Workers To Meet April 21

Princeton Presbyterian Church Workers will meet Thursday, April 21, in the church with Hazel Wilkinson and Florence Dennis co-hostesses.

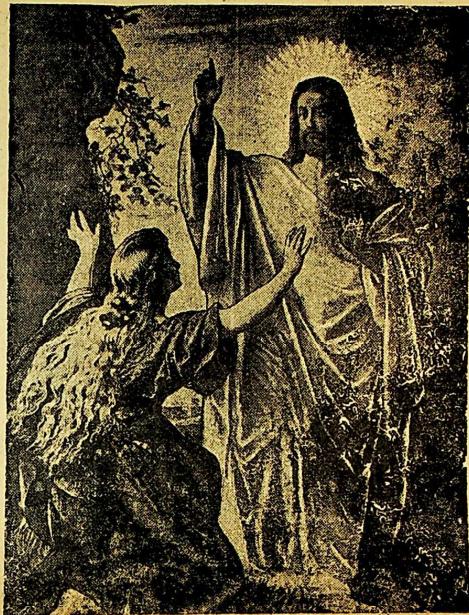
Those who can are invited to quilt at the church any day before the meeting, for an early completion of the quilt.

### Cyclist Goes Into Ditch

Lester Fries of Princeton was injured about 8 p.m. Friday night when his motorcycle went out of control and plunged into a ditch on Route 67, south of town.

The mishap occurred just north of Bud Creek and the machine slid into the deep ditch on the west side of the road.

The injured cyclist was treated by a physician and taken to his home. About an hour later an ambulance was summoned to take him to the hospital.



### St. James Parish will Have Special Services

Holy Thursday Mass was held at 8:00 A. M.

Special Good Friday Services to be held from 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.  
Special Easter High Mass at 8:30 A. M. Easter Sunday.

### Le Claire Baptist Presents Easter Theme

The Easter services will begin with Sunday School at 9:45 with classes for all. At 11 o'clock will be the Worship service with the choir singing: "Jesus Arose". The pastor will speak on the subject: "What the Resurrection Means to Man". Christian Life hour is at 6:30 for all young people. At the Evening Service at 7:30 the pastor will speak on the subject: "The Ascended Christ", there will be special music.

### Summit Presbyterian Plans Easter Message

Regular morning worship at 9:30 A. M. Due to the illness of Rev. F. W. Thompson, pastor, the Easter Message will be delivered by Earl Davis, seminary student at Dubuque.

Sunday school will follow at 10:30 A. M. and Junior Young Peoples Meeting at 7:30 P. M.

### Girl Scout Cookie Sale

The Annual Cookie Sale of the Girl Scouts will be held April 14 through the 20.

This sale makes possible the Girl Scout camping program and the Brownies and girls of the Troop 88 will appreciate the buying of these cookies at 40 cents a box. The Girl Scouts receive 5 cents credit for each box sold, toward their camping fee.

### LeClaire Presbyterian Plan Easter Services

Holy Communion Services were held Thursday evening at 7:30.

Good Friday Service, Friday evening at 7:30.

Easter Sunrise Service at 6:00 A. M. with an Easter Breakfast to follow.

Easter Worship Service 10:45  
(Please note earlier time)  
Sunday School at 9:45.

### World War II Mothers Plan Activities

Unit 5, World War 2 Mothers held their regular meeting, Tuesday April 5 at the school with Mrs. Fery Clemons, president, presiding.

There were fourteen members present. The Unit now has thirty-three members. Mrs. Beulah Havenhill gave a report on the Unit's recent visit to the Clinton Dominciliary. Mrs. Melinda Doerscher was given the obligations of the unit.

The Clinton Dominciliary Orientation Course will start April 13th. Members wishing to take the course are asked to contact Mrs. Leonie Ruhberg.

The Unit is working to purchase a Unit flag to have for the National Convention of Mothers of World War 2, which will be held in Davenport in June.

Unit 5 will have a Pie Sale, Saturday, April 23rd at Bell's and Elliott's stores. The sale will help the Unit in purchasing the Unit flag.

The next sewing meeting will be held Wednesday, April 20th at the home of Mrs. Florence Littrel.

### McCausland Methodist Good Friday and Easter Services

McCausland Methodist Church—  
A Candlelight Communion Service will be held in the McCausland Methodist church on Good Friday evening starting at 7:45 p. m. The choir will provide the hymns and will also have a special anthem entitled, "The Man on the Cross".

Rev. C. H. Stange will provide the meditation, using the scriptures on the Seven Last Words.

Everyone is invited to attend this service and partake of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Easter service will be held at 11 a. m. in the church.

The choir will provide special music and will have as their Anthem, "The Joyous Easter Morning."

The Offertory Solo will be sung by Mrs. Irene Yocom. It is entitled, "Hosanna."

The Sacrament of Baptism will be observed during the service.

Rev. Stange's Sermon will be on the theme, "Christ's Ascension."

### Argo U. P. Church Good Friday Service

Good Friday services will be held at 7:30 p. m.

An Easter Breakfast for the young people will be held Sunday at 8 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Earl Benson.

Morning worship with special music will be at the regular hour of 10:00 a. m..

Evening services will be held at 7:30 p. m.

### Woman's Club

#### Elects Officers

The LeClaire Women's Club met Tuesday, April 5th for their regular meeting and election of officers.

Selection of officers were as follows:

Pres. — Mrs. George Maag  
Vice Pres.—Mrs. Vern Crawford  
Recording Secretary—Mrs. J. W. Shugars

Treasurer — Mrs. Ralph Porter  
Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Everett Sidlinger  
Auditing Committee—Mrs. Geo. Underwood, and Mrs. Birdie Moffit.

Publicity—Mrs. John Farley  
The speaker was Mrs. Ed Buching who spoke and showed slides on her "Trip to Europe".

Hostesses were: Mrs. Harold Kennedy, Mrs. Lee Rinker and Mrs. P. A. Remier.

The next meeting will be held May 3rd, with the "May Breakfast", beginning at noon and a Style Show under the direction of Mary Louise Marshall. Tickets are \$1.00 and reservations must be in by April 28.

13 classmates and friends gathered at Sandra Dismers home Sunday to help her celebrate her 8th birthday. Sandra moved here recently from Pleasant Valley.

Games were played and delicious lunch served. All had a wonderful time.

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## "Think it Over"

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He also pointed out that our town and rural area would be scenically enhanced by the groups activities.

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## COFFEE TIME

by

Mrs. John (Leona) Farley

### COOK OF THE WEEK

### VEVA DOMER

This week you and I have the pleasure of meeting Mrs. Veva (William N.) Domer of LeClaire and discovering what are some of her favorite recipes.

Veva said that she keeps busy with housework — her own and she also helps her father, James Benson, who lives next door — but in her spare moments very much enjoys crocheting rag rugs, reading and collecting recipes.

The Domers have one daughter, Karen, a sophomore in LeClaire high school. Veva told me that the sophomore home economics class, of which Karen is a member, recently cooked and served a banquet, under the capable direction of Mrs. Krava, to the faculty and the board members and their wives. So I asked to have Karen pass along a recipe that other teen-agers might also enjoy making. You will find her contribution (Praline Cookies) below, along with her mother's recipes.

### DEVILSFOOD CAKE

Sift together into bowl:  
1 3/4 C. sifted cake flour  
1 1/2 C. sugar  
3/4 t. soda  
3/4 t. salt  
Add:

1/2 C. high grade shortening  
2/3 C. buttermilk  
Mix thoroly — then add:  
1/3 C. buttermilk  
2 eggs  
2 sqs. unsweetened choc. melted  
1 t. vanilla

Beat for 2 minutes. Divide batter into two round layer pans and bake for 30 to 35 minutes in a 350 degree oven. Cover with seven minute frosting.

### HEAVENLY HASH

Boil 6 medium sized potatoes with jackets on until done. Cool and peel off jackets. Chop potatoes in small pieces and add:

1/2 lb. smoked ham, ground  
1/2 lb. American cheese, grated  
salt to flavor

Toss together and put in a casserole. Pour 2/3 pint of thin cream over mixture; sprinkle with buttered bread crumbs and bake in a moderate oven 35 to 45 mins.

### PRALINE COOKIES

3/4 C. butter  
1 1/2 C. brown sugar  
1 egg  
1 t. vanilla  
1 1/2 C. sifted flour  
1/2 to 1 C. chopped pecans

### RAIN IN APRIL

Rain has such fun in April,  
It patters through the trees,  
Talking to all the leaf buds  
And robins that it sees.  
  
It splashes in the puddles  
And skips upon the walks,  
Goes sliding down the grass blades  
And dandelion stalks.  
  
It dips in all the flowers  
And when the clouds go by  
It paints with flower colors  
A rainbow in the sky!

— Eleanor Hammond.

: Well, hello — if it hadn't been for that shower I'll bet you would be out raking the yard or garden — or mopping up the mud tracks brought in by the children and the dog.

Just like the trees and tulips, the energy the children have stored up all winter seems to burst out with the first few days of warm weather. So I am very glad you stopped for a few minutes for a cup of coffee with me — and to rest that 'oooh' 'achin' back.

While we are working outside this spring let us all remember to take time to look at the beauty around us. For, then, we realize that nature is the living, visible garment of God. When you look down at a tiny plant coming up from a still tinier seed do you stop to think what is behind it all, causing it to come into existence? There is an education in our own back yard if we only look more deeply.

### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Little minds are tamed and subdued by misfortune; but great minds rise above it.

— Washington Irving.

Cream butter until smooth. Add sugar and egg and beat until creamy and fluffy. Add vanilla. Sift in flour and blend thoroly. Stir in nuts. Shape the dough into small balls. Flatten balls to 1/4 inch thickness on buttered baking sheet — at least one inch apart after being flattened. Bake at 375 degrees for 12 minutes or until nicely browned. Cool on cookie sheet for 2 or 3 minutes, then remove to cool. Makes about 3 dozen cookies. Very tasty for parties.

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## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, APRIL 8 —  
GOOD FRIDAY

SATURDAY, APRIL 9 —  
Bake sale by Grassy Lane school  
at Bell's store.

TUESDAY, APRIL 12 —  
Miriam Circle of Zion Lutheran Church, 7:30 p.m. at home of Mrs. Harry Ahlberg.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13 —  
Parents Club of Cody Elementary School.

Altar and Rosary Society, St. James meet at the home of Mrs. Vera Doyle.

Ruth Circle of Zion Lutheran Church, 1:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Jack Beuse.

Farm Bureau Women will meet at the Argo Church at 10:00 A.M. where a class in Basket Making will be held.

THURSDAY, APRIL 14 —  
Birthday Bunch Club at the home of Mrs. Pat Tabor.

FRIDAY, APRIL 15 —  
LeClaire high school Spring Prom.

SATURDAY, APRIL 16 —  
Princeton Livewires 4-H club regular meeting at home of Pat and Beverly Dannatt.

TUESDAY, APRIL 19 —  
Princeton P. T. A. meeting in evening at the school.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20 —  
Unit 5. World War 2 Mothers Sewing meeting at the home of Mrs. Florence Littrel.

Altar and Rosary Society of St. Henry's Parish will meet at 7:30 in St. Henry's Hall.

THURSDAY, APRIL 21 —  
Skating party sponsored by St. Henry's Parish, LeClaire. 7:30—10:00 at the Trio, Davenport.

Church Workers of Princeton Presbyterian Church will meet at the church.

SATURDAY, APRIL 23 —  
Pie Sale. World War 2 Mothers of Unit 5, to be held at Bell's and Elliott's Stores.

TUESDAY, APRIL 26 —  
Brotherhood meeting men of Zion Lutheran Church.

SATURDAY, APRIL 30 —  
Public dance at Princeton Community Hall sponsored by Teen-Age ball team.

TUESDAY, MAY 3 —  
LeClaire Women's Club will hold their "May Breakfast" and Style Show.

SATURDAY, MAY 14 —  
Dance Recital, Patty Lou's School of Dancing Community Hall, 7:30.

TUESDAY, MAY 24 —  
Little League baseball game on school diamond. Princeton vs Camanche.

Card of Thanks  
I would like to express my sincere thanks to everyone for the cards, gifts and flowers I received at the hospital and since I have returned home.

Mrs. Thomas Fletcher

Card of Thanks  
I wish to thank my many friends who remembered me during my illness and convalescence and also on my birthday.

Mrs. George Pinneo.

**Pleasant Hill Nets****\$60. At Benefit**

Pleasant Hill Mother's Club netted \$60. at a benefit card party last Thursday night. The group is financing the installation of a plumbing project.

Ivan Wilson was awarded a basket of groceries, Eldon Krambeck a blanket, Elaine Stewart a magazine rack and other winners were; Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. Rickleff, Edna Holst, Elaine Stewart, Dorothy Dooley, Anne Holst, Clara Knuth, Evelyn Wilson, Chris Lohse and Martha Holst.

**Scout's Models Named**

Girl Scouts, 8 from Troop 140 and 5 from Troop 88 attended their final meeting at the Barbara Lund Charm School in Davenport.

Girls chosen for the Modeling Show were Frances Tague from Troop 140 and Lyn Evans from Troop 88. The date has not been announced to date for the show to be presented for Girl Scouts and their Mothers.

The girls attending Saturdays meeting were instructed in proper ways to Model and proper introduction.

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**Birthday Bunco Club**

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The club had a handkerchief shower for Mrs. Pat Tabor. Next meeting of the club will be held April 14th at the home of Mrs. Pat Tabor.

**Troop 88 Has Meeting**

Girl Scouts of Troop 88 met for their regular meeting Wednesday, April 6 at the home of Mrs. Dale Domer.

They welcomed their new member, Janice Wolfe. The new girl scout handbooks were given the girls.

Eleven girls were present. Sandra Long served. Meeting was brought to a close with taps and grace.

**Birthday Party -**

Seventeen little playmates and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Davis Sunday afternoon to help their son Johnny celebrate his 7th birthday. Games were played and cupcakes and ice cream were served. Johnny received many lovely gifts and everyone had a wonderful time. His grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rook were dinner guests at the Davis home.

**PRINCETON**

By Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

Melvin Dodds is improving after being ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Bissick, mother of Mrs. Court Spinsby, was taken by ambulance to Davenport Osteopathic hospital for treatment of pneumonia.

Harold Auliff is improving in Davenport Osteopathic hospital following surgery.

Princeton Past Noble Grands are invited to the annual banquet to be held in Clinton April 29.

Lonnie McFate celebrated his first birthday Wednesday night, with birthday cake and all the trimmings.

Russell Enyeart and Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Hamilton attended a Gideon Rally recently in Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hamilton recently visited relatives in Lisbon, Gideon Rally recently in Clinton honored Mrs. O. R. Hamilton on her birthday and presented her with many lovely gifts.

Twelve ladies recently attended a Peggy Newton glamour party in the Eldon Fletcher home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Siek of Davenport visited relatives here last Saturday. Mrs. Amanda Sierk accompanied them and will spend some time here.

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By Mrs. Laura Gast

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Covers were laid for 110 people who attended the pot luck and birthday dinner held in the basement of the Argo church last Friday evening.

The L. O. A. Classmet Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Howard Brown. The leader was Mrs. John Moffitt.

Roberta Fletcher, a student at Cornell College and Margaret and Joe Ramsdale, students at Monmouth College are home for their Easter vacations.

John A. Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fletcher of Lowden were visitors in this vicinity last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Long of Davenport Who have spent the past three months touring the South were visitors in the Howard Brown home Friday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Hamilton enjoyed dinner Sunday in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hank Lundholm in Moline. They celebrated Mrs. Hamilton's birthday.

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Friday and Sunday 7:45 p.m.

**ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC**

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Father Francis Duncan  
Masses

Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

**CALVARY CHAPEL**

LeClaire

Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples

Service 6:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:45 p.m.  
Wednesday

Prayer Service and  
Bible Study 7:45 p.m.  
Saturday Choir Practice  
7:00 p.m.

**BAPTIST**

LeClaire

Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Christian

Life 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday: Choir practice 6:45 p.m.  
Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**ATTEND THE CHURCH**

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Rev. Charles H. Stange,  
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Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN**

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Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

**ZION LUTHERAN**

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Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN**

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Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**ST JAMES CATHOLIC**

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Father Tom Taylor  
Masses

Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN**

Argo

Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale  
Pastor

Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Bible School 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services 7:00 p.m.

Midweek Services: Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

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Seven ladies recently attended a basket making class at the Lend-a-Hand. Another class will be held in the Argo church on Wednesday, April 13, starting at 10 a.m.

Each person attending is requested to bring a pair wire cutters, ruler and newspaper.

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## BOY SCOUTS RENEW CHARTERS

### PRINCETON OUTDOOR SUNRISE SERVICE ATTRACTS AUDIENCE

Some 170 worshipers attended the first local sunrise service at 6 a.m. Easter morning. The service was conducted jointly by the Lutheran and Presbyterian congregations.

The setting was beautiful on the sunlite east side of the hill overlooking the Mississippi at the Leonard Graham home.

Dr. H. J. Randall spoke on "Spring and the Resurrection." Marlene Rogers lead the choir in their rendition of "In the Garden." The Rev. Richard Otten lead the singing, prayers and pronounced the benediction.

At their regular church hours, both congregations had special Easter services.

The committee expressed the hope that the service may become a part of all future Easter observances in this area.

### LeClaire Churches

#### Crowded On Easter

All LeClaire churches reported that Easter services were well attended and several experienced problems of adequate seating.

The Easter breakfast at the LeClaire Presbyterian Church was attended by 135 members.

Rev. J. L. Hicks, pastor of the Calvary Chapel Foursquare Church stated that none of the cards released during the balloon ascension has been returned.

### Lt. Hank Kleeburg

#### Phones From Scotland

Lieutenant Hank Kleeburg pleasantly surprised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kleeburg, by phoning them on Easter from Prestwick, Scotland.

The call reached Princeton about 9:30 p.m., local time, which was 3 a.m. in Scotland. Mrs. Kleeburg reported that during their 6-minute conversation no difficulty was experienced hearing or being heard.

Lt. Kleeburg has been traveling in an official capacity with a U. S. O. unit since February 14. The tour has taken him to Italy (the unit entertained Naval personnel on the battleship Iowa in the harbor at Naples.), Germany, Africa, England and Scotland.

The following day the tour was to end and the unit returned to Germany, after which Lt. Kleeburg would return to Burtonwood, England and assume his armament assignment.

Mrs. Kleeburg stated that Hank has been taking movies of the tour. The Kleeburgs had not heard from their son regularly while he was on the assignment. The 'call' reassured them that he is well.

When in Africa, Hank sent home a camel's saddle. It is brass studded and hand tooled leather.

**PARENTS OF DAUGHTER —**  
Mr. and Mrs. Harold Anderson are parents of a baby girl born Wednesday evening at Davenport Osteopathic Hospital.

### Princeton P. T. A.

#### Open House

#### Tuesday Night

##### Movies of School Activities Feature of Open House

Princeton Parent Teachers Association will hold their regular meeting in the school at 7 p.m. (note time) Tuesday, April 19. Officers are to be elected during the business meeting. A program will be presented by Mrs. Wenzel's fifth and sixth grade pupils.

Following the meeting there will be an Open House, sponsored by the P.T.A.

In addition to movies of the school activities, work in arts and crafts, by the pupils, will be displayed. The open-house is styled as a review of the current school year, which is rapidly drawing to a close. All parents and interested parties are urged to attend.

Refreshments will be served.

### Zion Lutheran Women

#### Held General Meeting

The general meeting, of the Women of Zion Lutheran Church was held Tuesday evening, April 5, in the church parlors. There were 65 present.

The devotions were read by Mrs. Gladys Peitscher. The Rev. Cecil Smith of the First Christian Church in East Moline spoke and showed slides of his trip to the Holy Land.

The Easter theme and colors were carried out in the serving of refreshments. The next general meeting will be held in June.

The Miriam Circle met at the home of Mrs. Harry Ahlberg Tuesday evening with eleven members present. The next meeting of the circle will be at the home of Mrs. Ed Youngers on May 10 at 7:30 p.m.

Ruth Circle met at the home of Mrs. Jack Beuse Wednesday afternoon with 24 members present. The next meeting of the circle will be at the home of Mrs. Herman Kunde, May 11 at 1:30 p.m. with Mrs. Harold Kunde assisting.

### Spinsby and Hamilton

#### Get Together

#### Overseas In Germany

Mrs. Russell Spinsby has received word from her husband in Erlangen, Germany, that he was pleasantly surprised to be visited by Melvin Hamilton, who is also stationed overseas and at Weisbaden, Germany. Melvin had a ten-day leave and had also visited in Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schwanz and daughter, Algene, spent the Easter weekend with their son who attends Wentworth Academy at Lexington, Missouri.

### Township School Board

#### Seeks Bids

#### For Transporting Pupils

The school board of Princeton Township has advertised for bids for the transportation of ten pupils between Locust Lane and Maple Glenn school districts.

Locust Lane, district number 4, school has been closed for nearly eighteen years. Even though there are sufficient pupils in the area the school building is no longer suitable, having deteriorated in the years of disuse.

During the current school term parents have transported their children between the districts, for which they have received a monetary allowance.

Bids should be submitted to Mervin E. Heble, secretary, on or before June 20, 1955.

### Princeton Booster's

#### Supper Date Set

#### For Wednesday, May 4

The Princeton Booster's Club have set the date of May 4 for their first, annual Aunt Jamina Pancake and Oscar Mayer Sauage Supper.

The supper will be held at the Princeton Community Hall at 5:30 p.m.

Proceeds from the supper will go to the Little League Baseball program in Princeton.

### Altar and Rosary Society

#### Plans Public Card Party

The Altar and Rosary Society of St. James Parish met Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Ray Doyle with 21 members in attendance. Prizes went to Mrs. Annie Martin, Mrs. Anthony Portz, Mrs. Annabelle Doyle, Mrs. Harry Boeding and Mrs. Isabel Boeding.

The members are planning a public card party to be held in the evening on May 25 at the Community Hall.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Stacher on Wednesday evening, May 4.

### Past Noble Grands Met

Past Noble Grands met Wednesday in I.O.O.F. hall with ten in attendance. Winners were Lena Peitscher, Ella Scharff and Alvena Schmalz. Lydia Gast will be the hostess Friday afternoon, May 6.

Seven tables were in play at the card party Tuesday night. Winners were: Mr. and Mrs. Dick Holst, Rhoda Evans, Stella Long, Martha Holst, Lillie Ohlgreen, Virginia Filmer and Regina Cassella.

The district convention will be held Saturday, June 4, in Maquoketa.

### Ditches car -

Bert Porter luckily escaped injury last Friday when he took to the ditch to avoid head-on collision with a tractor on the gravel road near the Day farm.

### Cody School

#### Parents Club

#### Plan Trip For Pupils

The Parents Club of Cody Elementary School met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Phyllis Holst, president, presiding.

Roll call was answered by naming a favorite flower. Thirty members were present.

A health program was presented by pupils of the third and fourth grades.

The program committee announced the programs for the remainder of the school year.

Mrs. Elaine Holst, treasurer, submitted a report on the recent bake sale. Part of the proceeds

will be used to charter a bus and take the eighth graders on a trip to Chicago. Sponsorship of the trip is to be an annual project of the club.

Games and clay were also purchased for the school. A photograph was purchased for the school by the Mothers Club of the Scharff school.

It was voted to change the time of meeting from afternoon to evening.

The next meeting is scheduled for 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 11. Clem Warner will talk on Civil Defense.

Hostesses for the social hour were Mrs. J. W. Shugars, Mrs. Elmer Burkamper, Mrs. Russell Bucks and Mrs. Bud Greves.

### Grassy Lane Club

#### Sale Nets \$30.

Twenty Grassy Lane Club members met Wednesday with Mrs. Nick Siem.

Winners were Edith Schmalz, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Clair Tobey, Mrs. Elmer Graham and Vera Billups.

Mrs. Ernest Siem will be the May hostess.

It was reported that the bake sale netted the school about \$30.

### Interviewed On Radio

Mrs. Lambert Storjohann and several of her relatives, whose birthdays are in April, had breakfast Saturday at Johnny Hartman's and were interviewed by Warren Vassen on radio.

### Attends Phone Meeting —

Russell Enyeart went to Des Moines Monday evening to attend the 59th annual Iowa Telephone Convention which convened on Tuesday and Wednesday.

### Cookies on Sale -

Girl Scouts annual cookie sale started Thursday, April 14, and will continue through April 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jenkins and son, Mike, of Decatur, Ill., were Easter visitors at the Harry Kleeburg home. Easter morning an egg-hunt was the center of interest at the Kleeburg home when eleven neighboring youngsters joined in the search.

### Scout Program Needs

#### Volunteers — NOW !

Post, Troop and Pack Scouts met for a combined meeting of Boy Scouts on Wednesday evening at the Princeton Community Hall. Thirty boys and twelve adults attended the meeting which was held to renew their charter and secure additional leaders.

Mr. Darrel, a Scout officer from Davenport, addressed the group and a film on scouting was shown.

Pictures were also shown of the Scout Jamboree which was held last year in California. Jim Clemons, a leader, attended the jamboree from the Buffalo Bill area. Eugene Bowker of LeClaire was the only Scout from this area to attend the annual event.

The Boosters Club sponsors the Scouts and Mayor Ken Purington, institutional representative, gave an encouraging talk on the future of scouting in this area.

Two new den mothers, Mrs. Marge Drechsler and Mrs. Mildred Wilson were named at the meeting.

There is a need for a Scout Master and Cub Master in addition to Committee leaders. Anyone interested in Boy Scouting are urged to contact Mr. Bob Suiter, Scout Master, or Mr. Jim Clemons, leader, for details.

### Girl Scout Council

#### Held Business Meeting

The Girl Scout Council of the Princeton area held a business meeting Thursday, April 7, at Lea Mars.

The council voted to have a skating party at the Trio in May. The date will be announced next week. This is their fund-raising project of the year. Tickets will be available from Girl Scouts and council members. Arrangements are under way to provide rides. It was also voted to hold Brownie day-camp in Princeton.

It was announced that the new addition of the Girl Scout Handbooks have arrived and will soon be distributed. The books were purchased by the council.

### Troop 88 Met

Girl Scout Troop 88 met for their regular weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Dale Domer, with 10 girls and one visitor present. Gail Mess and Joan Sante served. Mrs. Eldon Mess and Mrs. Domer helped the girls with their tea towels.

### Tickets Available -

The Howard Havener Lodge for the physically handicapped will sponsor a skating party to be held at the Trio in Davenport on Friday, April 29.

Tickets are available at LeaMars in Princeton and from Bob Stock in LeClaire. Transportation will be furnished.

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### COOK OF THE WEEK

#### DAN AND MYRTLE PAIN

Hello — I've been waiting for you with a cup of coffee in hand so we could get right down to the pleasure (a double one this week) of meeting our guest cooks.

They are Mr. and Mrs. Dan Pain, or Dan and Myrtle as their friends call them. The Pains operate Pain's Cafe in Princeton and are the parents of one daughter, Bobbi Ann. Bobbi is in the eighth grade.

Myrtle said she learned how to cook from her husband, and a cook book.

Dan has always been more or less interested in cooking. As a boy he worked for his uncle in a restaurant in Maquoketa and during the years that have followed his interest and ability to turn out delicious baked goods have increased.

As far as hobbies are concerned, Myrtle said that she enjoys painting and sewing and Dan — well, if you call taking care of voting machines a hobby, that is what his is.

Here's hoping you will enjoy trying the following four recipes that they have shared with us.

#### CRISPY-CRUSTED ANGEL CUPCAKES

Use your favorite angel food cake batter or mix. Coat 24 muffin cups (two tins of 12 cups each) with  $\frac{1}{4}$  C. butter. Divide one package of coconut into the cups. Fill each cup slightly heaping with batter. Bake at 375 degrees for 20 to 25 minutes. Place pans in oven away from sides. Cool 10 to 15 minutes before removing cakes from tins.

#### RAISIN-NUT PIE

2 C. sugar  
6 eggs, beaten  
1 t. cloves  
1 t. cinnamon  
1 C. raisins, cooked in 1 c. water  
1 T. vinegar  
Butter, size of walnut  
1 C. nuts, chopped  
Blend all ingredients thoroughly and put in an unbaked pie shell. Bake in a moderate oven 35 to 40 minutes.

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1½ C. all-purpose flour, sifted  
1 C. sour cream  
1 C. sugar

2 eggs  
½ t. salt

1 t. vanilla

2 sqs. chocolate

½ C. boiling water

1 t. soda

Whip sour cream until thick. Add eggs and whip again. Add sugar gradually, then add vanilla, flour and salt. Stir melted chocolate and soda into the boiling water. Combine chocolate mixture and batter. Bake at 350 degrees for 40 to 45 minutes.

#### FRESH RHUBARB ROLL

Combine:

1½ C. sugar  
1½ C. water

Boil for five minutes and then pour into greased baking pan.

Biscuit Dough:

3 C. flour

3 t. baking powder

½ t. salt

1½ C. sugar

Sift ingredients together into bowl containing  $\frac{1}{2}$  C. shortening. Add 1 C. milk and stir lightly. Roll into squares 1/3 inch in thickness. Brush with 3 T. butter and spread on 3 C. cut rhubarb. Roll up for jelly roll. Cut into slices and place in pan with syrup. Bake 450 degrees for 40 minutes. During baking baste pieces with sauce made by cooking together 1 C. rhubarb,  $\frac{1}{2}$  C. sugar and 2/3 C. water.

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First moron: Well, did you ever hear of a him-icane!

Contributed by Mrs. Richard Otten: A stranger is only a friend we haven't met.

#### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK —

Men think highly of those who rise rapidly in the world; whereas nothing rises quicker than dust, straw and feathers. — Hare.

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## ARGO

By Mrs. Laura Gast

Thirty five young people attended the Easter breakfast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Benson.

Sunday evening, April 17, at 7:30 several members from the LeClaire high school will give a musical program as part of the service at the church.

The Women's Missionary Society met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Lillie Fletcher. The leader was Mrs. Stella Moffit.

Friday, April 15, a three-day meeting of the United Presbyterian Men begins at Spring Mill, Ind. The two delegates from the Argo church are Birchard Holden and Howard Brown.

The Good Samaritans meet Friday, April 15, in the home of Mrs. Lester Auliff. The leader will be Mrs. Foster Auliff.

Thursday, April 21, the Presbyterial and Presbytery convene for their Spring meeting in the Williamson Memorial Church in Bettendorf who have spent the begins at 9:30 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wallace of Bettendorf who have sent the winter in Texas returned home last week. Mr. Wallace is in poor health.

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By Mrs. Lloyd Sierk

A family Easter dinner was served Sunday at the Allen Elliott home.

Mrs. Amanda Sierk celebrated her 84th birthday Friday with a party in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Kerr.

Bobby Maher, who left Wednesday for France to see his daddy, was honored Sunday at Sunday School when the Easter treat was given.

Mrs. Margaret McElroy was taken to Mercy Hospital last Thursday for treatment.

Mrs. Martin Meinert is in St. Luke's hospital for observation.

Albert Storjohann's entertained at an Easter dinner for the Claus Ehlers and Harry Schnoor families.

Miss Alberta Portz of Clinton spent Easter with her family the Anthony Portz's.

Richard Storjohann of Parker, S. Dak., recently spent a week in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Gast have returned home from Arizona after spending several weeks in the warm climate.

Janice Storjohann, who is in nurse's training, is spending a month at home.

Barbara Porter, who is in training at St. Luke's, was ill in the hospital for a week.

William Oliver returned Saturday from a one-week visit with the Jack Fisher family at Selma, Iowa.

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## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, APRIL 15 — LeClaire high school Spring Prom.

SATURDAY, APRIL 16 — Princeton Livewires 4-H club regular meeting at home of Pat and Beverly Danatt.

TUESDAY, APRIL 19 — Princeton P. T. A. meeting in evening at the school.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20 — Unit 5. World War 2 Mothers Sewing meeting at the home of Mrs. Florence Littrel.

ALTAR AND ROSARY SOCIETY OF ST. HENRY'S PARISH will meet at 7:30 in St. Henry's Hall.

THURSDAY, APRIL 21 — Skating party sponsored by St. Henry's Parish, LeClaire. 7:30-10:00 at the Trio, Davenport.

CHURCH WORKERS OF PRINCETON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH will meet at the church.

SATURDAY, APRIL 23 — Pie Sale. World War 2 Mothers of Unit 5, to be held at Boll's and Elliott's Stores.

TUESDAY, APRIL 26 — Brotherhood meeting men of Zion Lutheran Church.

SATURDAY, APRIL 30 — Public dance at Princeton Community Hall sponsored by Teen-Age ball team.

TUESDAY, MAY 3 — LeClaire Women's Club will hold their "May Breakfast" and Style Show.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4 — Princeton Booster's Club, Little League benefit supper at 5:30 p.m., Community Hall.

Altar and Rosary Society meeting at the home of Mrs. Stacher.

TUESDAY, MAY 10 — Miriam Circle of Zion Lutheran Church meeting at the home of Mrs. Ed Youngers, LeClaire at 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11 — Ruth Circle of Zion Lutheran Church meeting at the home of Mrs. Herman Kunde at 1:30 p.m. Parents Club of Cody Elementary School meeting at 8 p.m. (Note)

SATURDAY, MAY 14 — Dance Recital, Patty Lou's School of Dancing Community Hall, 7:30.

TUESDAY, MAY 24 — Little League baseball game on school diamond. Princeton vs Camanche.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25 — Altar and Rosary Society St. James Parish, public card party in evening at Princeton Community Hall.

## TEEN AGERS



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Worship Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Friday and Sunday  
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Evening Service 8:00 p.m.

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Father Francis Duncan  
MassesSunday 9:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

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Rev. Charles H. Stange,  
MinisterChurch School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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Rev. M. O. Burman, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.Young Peoples Christian  
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Evening Service 7:30 p.m.Wednesday:  
Choir practice 6:45 p.m.  
Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

## ZION LUTHERAN

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Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

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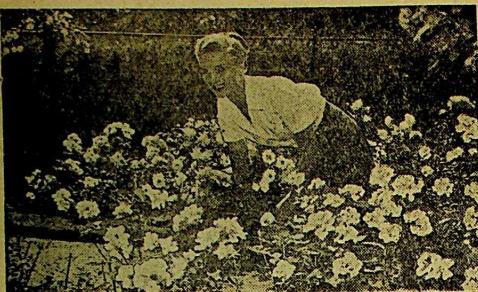
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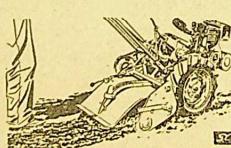
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LeClaire Boosters, meet at Cody Elementary School.

Lincoln Go-Getters, meet at the home of Joann Mess.

Princeton Livewires meet at the home of Pat and Beverly Dannatt.

The Princeton Producers boys' 4-H club met Monday nite with Richard Gast.

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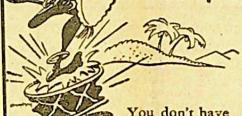
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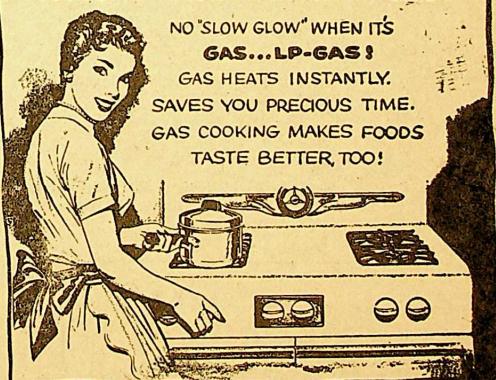
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## LIVELY-HAMILTON WEDDING AT ARGO CHURCH

In a candlelight ceremony before an altar banked with flowers Miss Betty Jean Lively, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Lively, became the bride of James Allen Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond V. Hamilton.

The vows, with the Rev. C. S. Ramsdale officiating, were spoken at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Argo United Presbyterian church. Miss Nancy Elliott was pianist and Mrs. Eldon Holst the vocalist.

The bride's sister, Miss Mary Lively served as maid of honor. Robert Auliff was best man. Ushers were Robert Lively, brother of the bride and Harold Anderson Jr., brother-in-law of the bridegroom.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a gown of hand-clipped lace and nylon tulle, fashioned with lace bodice and long sleeves, Peter Pan collar and peplum of lace over the ballerina-length tulle skirt. A lace tiara with

pearls and iridescent sequin trim held her fingertip-length veil. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses centered with a white orchid.

The maid of honor wore a Nile green rayon taffeta ballerina-length gown with matching leaf tiara. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses.

Before the couple left on a wedding trip to the Ozarks a reception for over 400 guests was held in the church basement.

The bride is employed as secretary of the plant engineer at J. I. Case Company in Bettendorf. She has been active in 4-H club work. The bridegroom is serving with the U. S. Army. At the completion of his current leave he will report to New Jersey for an overseas assignment. Both are graduates of LeClaire high school and before entering the service he was engaged in farming.

## NEIGHBORS PLOW

### 45 ACRES

### FOR HAROLD AULIFF

A good deed was accomplished today as 14 neighboring farmers went to the Harold Auliff farm and plowed 45 acres of corn ground.

Mr. Auliff was recently hospitalized for surgery and will be unable to operate his tractor for several weeks.

On hand, with tractors and plows, were Emil Drechsler, James Wright, Bud Voss, Orville Stewart, Foster Auliff, Alvin Auliff, Robert Auliff, Ivan Wilson, Court Spinsby, Andy Wright, Harold Voss, Fred Haessler, Everett Sidlinger and Walter Bucks. It was expected that the job would be completed about noon.

At noon, Mrs. Ivan Wilson, Mrs. Foster Auliff, Mrs. Alvin Auliff, Mrs. Robert Auliff, Mrs. Elmer Burkamper, Mrs. Bud Voss and Mrs. James Wright served dinner for the good neighbors.

## "Great Caesar's Ghost"

### To Be Presented By

### LeClaire Senior Class

LE CLAIRE — The annual senior class play will be presented at 8 p.m. Friday, April 29, at the high school.

This year's presentation "Great Caesar's Ghost" includes a cast of twelve students.

An account of the LeClaire high school Spring Prom will be carried in next week's issue. We regret it did not reach us in time to be included in this issue.

## PARENT-TEACHERS OPEN HOUSE HELD AFTER MEETING

A combined regular meeting and Open House was held by the Princeton, P. T. A. at the school Tuesday evening. Some 100 pupils and parents attended.

The Flag was presented by Girl Scout Troop 85. Mrs. Betty Purington, publications chairman, read a paper on "This Way to Happiness". Mrs. Edith Hill, health chairman, reported 15 children for summer round-up.

During the business session officers were elected. Heading the organization will be Mrs. Mary Hiril, president; Mrs. Rhoda Evans, vice president; Mrs. Ellen McFate, secretary; Mrs. Evonda Enyeart, treasurer and Mrs. Marge Dreher, historian. Delegates are: Mrs. Mildred Woerner and Mrs. Pat Taber; alternate delegates are: Mrs. Jean McMeekin and Mrs. Doris Gilbert.

Also announced were various committees: Auditing: Mrs. Midge Volrath, Mrs. Stella Tague and Mrs. Bernice Frazier; Last Day School: Mrs. Darlene Santee, Mrs. Edna Damon, Mrs. Mina Huston and Mrs. Esther McAllister; 8th Grade Graduation Party: Mrs. Mildred Woerner. Mrs. Marge Klemme, Mrs. Marge Ernsberger and Mrs. Evelyn Long.

A program was presented by 5th and 6th grade pupils, taught by Mrs. Wenzel, included a dance—the Virginia Reel - three dialogues Three Bears, The Shoemaker and Betty and Fred Stayed Home. The group also sang "India."

At the Open House, movies were shown by Mr. Joe Wilkinson, which graphically provided a record of past activities. Included were films made by Mr. Wilkinson about ten days earlier. Each room also exhibited work done during the year.

## Cpl. Roger Havenhill Completes Army Duty

Cpl. Roger Havenhill, who for the past two years has been serving in the Army, was discharged Thursday.

Havenhill was stationed at Camp Carson, Colorado, for about one year and for the past year has been assigned at Fort Knox, Ky. Mr. and Mrs. Havenhill and son, Douglas, are expected to arrive in Princeton Friday evening. Upon their arrival, there will be a family dinner at the home of Harold Siem's.

## Lund Implement Co.

### Low Bidder on Trucks

PRINCETON — Lund Implement Company was a successful bidder to sell two new Chevrolet trucks to the county, according to an announcement by Scott

at the McConnell home on May 21, county supervisors.

## SERVICES FOR WILLIAM J. SPEER ON MONDAY, APR 25

Funeral services for William J. Speer will be held at 1:30 p.m. Monday in the United Presbyterian church at Argo. The Rev. C. S. Ramsdale, pastor of the church, will officiate. Interment will be in Memorial Park cemetery. The body reposes at the McGinnis funeral home in Bettendorf.

Mr. Speer had been in failing health for some time but was able to be up and around. He celebrated his 80th birthday last week and attended a family dinner in the home of his daughter. He passed away Thursday evening at his home.

Born April 16, 1875, in Princeton the son of the late William and Amanda Speer, he married Mae Erwin in March, 1898. The couple farmed in the area for many years. Mr. Speer preceded his death January 7, 1953. For many years he was an elder of the United Presbyterian church at Argo.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Earl Benson; two sons, Roland and Howard, six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

## ATTENDS PHONE CONVENTION AT DES MOINES

Russell J. Enyeart, owner, of the LeClaire and Princeton Telephone Exchanges has returned to Princeton after attending the 55th Annual Convention of the Iowa Independent Telephone Association in Des Moines, April 12 and 13 at the Hotel Fort Des Moines.

Mr. Enyeart has never missed attending this convention, since being in Iowa. Mrs. Enyeart has often attended with him.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Paaske of the Argo Telephone Company also attended the convention.

President El G. Carlson, Creston, opened the meeting and pointed out the theme of the year, "Forward in '55" means that it will be the goal of the Association to average one dial conversion every seven days this year. Carlson said that there were only 8 independent dial exchanges in Iowa at the end of World War II, and now there are 150.

More than 700 members from every county in the state and representing 250 telephone companies heard luncheon speaker W. Harold Brenton. Brenton, president of Brenton Banks, and past president of the American Bankers Association, complimented the Iowa Association on its work in the field.

Iowa stands at the top of the list in number of phones per 100 operating farms, and is recognized as a pioneer state in many new advances on rural telephone service. Other states are following the Iowa pattern of service and development.

The Tuesday noon luncheon, according to Enyeart, was a high light as some 150 Iowa legislators as well as Governor Hoegh and other state officials met with them for the luncheon.

Mr. Enyeart attended a Convention Sales Symposium where developments, and plans for better service and plant facilities were discussed. They were also able to study new telephone equipment for the home and office which will be available this year.

One of the most interesting exhibits was the FM radio equipment which is being developed for rural service. It is the first time this equipment has ever been shown at an Independent Telephone Convention. Conversation is beamed from the home to a central telephone office, without use of wires.

## Train Discontinues Making Flag Stops

Effective Sunday, April 24, the Milwaukee Road's Southwest Limited will no longer make flag stops for passengers at Princeton and LeClaire.

## CAR PLUNGED INTO DEEP WATER AT QUARRY

LE CLAIRE — A young motorist, Russell Puckett of Bettendorf, ed to open the door and swim to dozed at the wheel of his auto-dry land and safety — in a miraculous escape from drowning. The motorist went to a nearby home and was taken to Bettendorf. His car was recovered from the deep water the following day.

Awakened as his vehicle plung-

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## Attends Beauty School

ELDRIDGE — Mrs. Delores Hulke, beauty operator at Eldridge together with twenty other beauty shop operators left Chicago for Miami, Fla., by plane last Saturday morning.

The group expects to be gone ten days. Part of the time will be devoted to attending a beauty school. The remainder of the time is for recreation.

## Birthday Bunco Club

The Birthday Bunco club met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Pat Taber.

Winners were Mrs. Irma Litscher, Mrs. Jerry McCollam and Mrs. Beulah Havenshill.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Stella Tague on Thursday, April 28.

## Donald Littrel

### Home on Leave

Donald Littrel, A.N., arrived home Wednesday morning from Patuxent River, Maryland, for a 20-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Littrel. He is slated for discharge on June 14.

Miss Harriet Fertig, a nurse at St. Lukes who is at present taking part of her training at Independence, Iowa, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knapp.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Levien of Iowa City, Iowa, are parents of a baby boy born last Saturday. Mrs. Levien was formerly Alice Bucks of Princeton.

Mr. Claus Englehart returned home Saturday after being hospitalized for one week.

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## COFFEE TIME

by

Mrs. John (Leona) Farley

### SPRING-CLEANING NOTES

1. Oil a dream and make it work.
2. Polish my heart until love glows.
3. Clean out basement where fears lurk.
4. Mend complaining where it shows.
5. Tighten the hinge on self-control.
6. Wash the windows of my soul.

by Jessie M. Franklin  
  
This is the type of housecleaning that can actually be done any time of the year don't you agree?

Well, how are you today? Have time for a cup of coffee with me? — Fine. Hope you will find it relaxing.

If you are bothered by a door that sticks during wet weather, apply paraffin wax to the edge and to the jamb which meets it. The door will then be easier to manage until dry weather causes the wood to shrink again.

Overheard a three-year old, who suddenly developed a runny nose, say to his mother: "Get me a hanky — my nose is leakin'."

Building window boxes? To prevent wood rot, line them with heavy-duty aluminum foil before filling with soil, fold the foil carefully at the corners so there are no tears exposing the wood.

My ol' timer friend says: "Knowing everything that might be done is knowledge. Knowing what is right to do is wisdom. Doing it is character."

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:  
People seldom improve when they have no other model but themselves to copy after.

— Goldsmith

### LET'S EXCHANGE HOUSEHOLD HINTS

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### COOK OF THE WEEK

— ETHEL HOLST —

This week you and I have the pleasure of having Mrs. Ethel (Eldon) Holst as our guest cook. The Holsts' have three boys: Alan and Dennis, who are in the third and first grades, respectively, at Cody Elementary school; and Dean, who is three-years old.

Ethel keeps busy with her housework and also takes care of a large flock of chickens, but in her spare time — and I imagine even while she is working — enjoys singing. She is a member of the Le Claire Woman's club chorus and of the Argo Presbyterian church Missionary society. Ethel also serves as pianist at the church.

Now I would like to share with you the recipes Ethel sent to me.

### SOUR CREAM NUT BREAD

1 C. sour cream  
1 C. brown sugar  
1 egg, beaten  
1 t. soda  
½ t. baking powder  
2 C. flour  
½ C. nuts  
½ t. salt

Mix the beaten egg and sugar together. Add cream and flour sifted with soda, baking powder and salt. Mix well. Add nuts. Bake in loaf pan at 300 degrees for one hour.

### RHUBARB DELIGHT

Sift together:  
1 C. flour  
¾ C. sugar  
1 t. baking powder  
¼ t. salt

Eat one large egg, add 1 t. vanilla. Stir egg mixture into flour mixture.

Put 1 ½ lbs. of cut rhubarb in bottom of baking dish with pinch of salt. Pour over this the flour mixture. Sprinkle with nutmeg. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 to 40 minutes.

### JELLY ROLL

4 eggs (beaten until light in color)  
1 C. sugar  
1 C. flour  
1 t. baking powder  
3 to 4 T. water  
1 t. vanilla

Mix ingredients and pour into oblong pan. Bake at 350 degrees until light brown. Turn out on wax paper sprinkled with granulated sugar. When slightly cool, trim edges and fill with favorite jelly or jam.

### WHAT ARE YOUR FAVORITE RECIPES

We would like to share them!

### ADDRESS:

Mrs. John Farley  
Route 1  
LeClaire, Iowa

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

SATURDAY, APRIL 23 —

Pie Sale. World War 2 Mothers of Unit 5, to be held at Boll's and Elliott's Stores.

TUESDAY, APRIL 26 —

Brotherhood meeting men of Zion Lutheran Church.

THURSDAY, APRIL 28 —

Birthday Bunco club meets at home of Mrs. Stella Tague.

SATURDAY, APRIL 30 —

Princeton Livewires bake sale at Boll's and Elliott's stores.

Public dance at Princeton Community Hall sponsored by Teen-Age ball team.

TUESDAY, MAY 3 —

LeClaire Women's Club will hold their "May Breakfast" and Style Show.

Scott County Rural Women's Day at Bettendorf high school.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4 —

Princeton Booster's Club, Little League benefit supper at 5:30 p.m., Community Hall.

Altar and Rosary Society meeting at the home of Mrs. Stacher

TUESDAY, MAY 10 —

Miriam Circle of Zion Lutheran Church meeting at the home of Mrs. Ed Youngers, LeClaire at 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11 —

Ruth Circle of Zion Lutheran Church meeting at the home of Mrs. Herman Kunde at 1:30 p.m.

Parents Club of Cody Elementary School meeting at 8 p.m. (Note)

SATURDAY, MAY 14 —

Dance Recital, Patty Lou's School of Dancing Community Hall, 7:30.

SATURDAY, MAY 21 —

Princeton Livewires to meet at the home of Lila McConnell.

TUESDAY, MAY 24 —

Little League baseball game on school diamond. Princeton vs Camanche.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25 —

Altar and Rosary Society St. James Parish, public card party in evening at Princeton Community Hall.

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Evening Service**

ARGO — Special music at the evening services of the Argo church by Le Claire high school students was postponed for one week. The group will appear at the evening services, Sunday, April 24.

A Bible reading contest is also scheduled for the same evening.

**Church Class Plans**

**Mother-Daughter Tea**

ARGO — On Friday evening, May 6, the Good Samaritans of the Argo church are sponsoring a Mother-Daughter tea in the basement of the church.

**ARGO**

By Mrs. Laura Gast

The Willing Workers class met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale. The leader was Mrs. Clarence Bowker.

The Junior Choir will meet Friday, April 22, from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Alvin Wilson home.

Miss Mabel Warner of Davenport, who has spent the winter in Phoenix, Arizona, was the house guest during the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Holden.

Mrs. Lillie Auliff has been quite sick in her home the past week.

**Mary Ann and Marie Sidlinger** and Marilyn Hamilton are recovering from the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bucks entertained the card club at a dinner party Saturday evening.

**VISITS BY THE STORK**

The Stork has been busy in this area the past week. We hope we haven't overlooked mention of any new arrivals.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hamilton are parents of a boy born Wednesday, April 13, at St. Lukes in Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kirby are parents of a girl born Thursday, April 14, at the Davenport Osteopathic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernia Jewell are parents of a girl born Saturday, April 16, at St. Lukes in Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christner are parents of a boy born Thursday, April 14, at St. Lukes in Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Middleton are parents of a boy born Sunday, April 17, at St. Lukes in Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Darland are parents of a boy born Sunday, April 17, at St. Lukes in Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Walker are parents of a girl born Wednesday, April 20, at Davenport Osteopathic Hospital.

**SUMMIT CHURCH NEWS**

The Rev. John W. Koning will deliver the message at the 9:30 a.m. service on Sunday, April 24.

Sunday School Workers will meet on Monday, April 25, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Wilson for the regular monthly pot luck dinner and business meeting.

Summit Church Workers will meet on Thursday, April 28, with Mrs. Malvern Kirby, Mrs. H. B. Sawyer and Mrs. Howard Kirby will be assistant hostesses.

**PRINCETON**

By Mrs. Lloyd Siem

Mrs. Nick Siem honored

on birthday.

Mrs. Nick Siem was guest of honor Monday at Johnny Hartman's restaurant in honor of her birthday. Her four daughters; Mrs. L. Storjohann, Mrs. L. Fisher, Mrs. L. Peterson and Mrs. Bruce Cole were in the party as was Mr. Siem and several grandchildren. Mr. Hartman presented her a birthday cake and she was interviewed on radio.

Forty one members of the family were present Sunday at a dinner in her honor. She has 23 grandchildren.

Easter Sunday the same group helped Mrs. Lambert Storjohann celebrate.

Mrs. Harold Anderson and granddaughter, Debbie, of Maple Park, Illinois, spent several days in this area last week.

Vickey Faye Spinsby was one-year old Thursday and a group of little folks and their mothers were guests of Vicky and her mother.

Mrs. Hazel Ray of Chicago arrived Friday evening to spend several weeks at the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Purington.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Glewe drove to Chicago early Sunday morning and returned the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Enyeart and children spent the weekend in Triplett, Missouri, with Mr. Enyeart's mother.

Mrs. Mary Matlock left Saturday to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. Gladys Diestler in Des Moines.

Mrs. John F. Suiter, who has spent the past month with her daughter, Mrs. Olive Lee Harms in Houston, Texas, left Texas by plane on Tuesday to visit a month in Florida. She will be with her sister, Mrs. Charles Helble, for several days in Miami then go to Stewart, also in Florida, to visit her daughter, Helen Maguire and family.

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**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN  
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Rev. C. Burdine, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

**GOSPEL TABERNACLE  
LeClaire**

Rev. K. E. Matschulat, Pastor  
Worship Sunday 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Friday and Sunday  
Youth Service 7:00 p.m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p.m.

**ST HENRY'S CATHOLIC  
LeClaire**

Father Francis Duncan  
Masses  
Sunday 9:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

**METHODIST  
McCauley**

Rev. Charles H. Stange,  
Minister  
Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

**BAPTIST**

Rev. M. O. Burnam, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Christian  
Life 6:30 p.m.

Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
Wednesday: Choir practice 6:45 p.m.  
Prayer - Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

**ZION LUTHERAN  
Princeton**

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Service 6:45 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service and  
Bible Study 7:45 p.m.

**PRESBYTERIAN**

Summit  
Rev. F. W. Thompson, Pastor  
Morning Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.  
Junior Young Peoples

**PRESBYTERIAN  
Princeton**

Rev. H. J. Rendall, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.

**ST JAMES CATHOLIC  
Princeton**

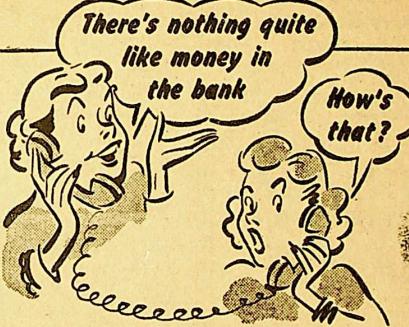
Father Tom Taylor  
Masses  
Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Holy Days 8:00 a.m.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN  
Argo**

Rev. Clifford S. Ramsdale  
Pastor  
Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Bible School 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.  
Midweek Services: Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

**FOURSQUARE CHURCH  
CALVARY CHAPEL  
LeClaire**

Rev. Jack L. Hicks, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Young Peoples Service 6:45 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service and  
Bible Study 7:45 p.m.



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**RURAL WOMAN'S DAY**
**TUESDAY - MAY 3**

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May 25

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May 26

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May 27

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May 31

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June 3

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Le Claire at Low Moor

June 7

Camanche at Le Claire  
Low Moor at Princeton

June 10

Low Moor at Camanche  
Le Claire at Princeton

June 14

Camanche at Princeton  
Low Moor at Le Claire

June 17

Le Claire at Camanche  
Princeton at Low Moor

July 15

Princeton at Camanche  
Le Claire at Low Moor

July 19

Camanche at Le Claire  
Low Moor at Princeton

July 22

Low Moor at Camanche  
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## COFFEE TIME

by

Mrs. John (Leona) Farley

COFFEE TIME will reappear in the next issue.

### INJURED IN TWO-CAR CRASH Pat Billups Father Passes —

Two Princeton men, Henry Fahrenkrog and Bernard Siefers, are in Davenport hospitals as the result of a two-car collision on Thursday.

The mishap occurred at the intersection of the Bluff and Argo roads, south of McCausland.

Siefers, reportedly, is in 'fair' condition and the condition of Fahrenkrog was said to be 'good.'

The father of Pat Billups died at Stronghurst, Illinois. Funeral services will be held Saturday at Stronghurst.

### Rebekah District Convention —

The Rebekah District Convention will be held June 4. Those planning to attend are asked to contact Mrs. Irma Litscher.

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## Memorial Day Services

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Princeton Town Hall Lawn  
(In event of rain - Services will be held in)  
(the Princeton Community Hall.)

Mothers of World War II - Officiating  
Feryl Clemons, president, Master of Ceremonies

### PROGRAM

National Anthem —

Invocation —

Rev. Richard E. Otten, Zion Lutheran Church, Princeton.

Presentation of Colors —

Mothers of World War II  
LeClaire American Legion Drill Team  
Princeton Boy Scouts Princeton Cub Dens  
Princeton Girl Scouts

Placing Wreath before War Memorial —

Roy Wood, World War I  
Laverne Hirl, World War II  
Kenneth Carter, Korean War

Gettysburg Address  
Janet Fletcher

GUEST SPEAKER —

Dr. John Martin, Past Commander  
Davenport American Legion

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Benediction —

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## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

### Princeton, Iowa

The Town Council of Princeton, Iowa, met in regular session May 2, 1955, Mayor Pro Tempore Herb Peitscher presiding. Present: Litscher, Suiter, Wilkinson, and Woomert.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Treasurer's Report: Receipts: Library Rent \$15.00, Road Use Tax \$131.01, County Taxes \$2052.22, Balance on Hand \$2527.69. Moved by Suiter, seconded by Litscher that Treasurer's report be accepted. All yeas. Motion carried.

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Moved by Woomert, seconded by Wilkinson that bills be paid. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Suiter, seconded by Wilkinson that we resurface Front St. and side streets leading from it to Highway 67 with blacktop as per quotation from C. F. Settle Co. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Wilkinson, seconded by Litscher that Council grant Al Grosz use of strip of property connecting old cemetery with new cemetery for agricultural purposes for three years. All yeas. Motion carried.

Moved by Woomert, seconded by Wilkinson that meeting be adjourned. All yeas. Motion carried.

Harriet A. Shaw, Town Clerk.

### Bowling Team Wins Second Spot

The bowling team sponsored by Elmwood Dairy won second place in Clinton League bowling.

Members of the team are from this area and include; Mesdames Billups, Schmalz, Siem and Streicher.

### Grassy Lane Club —

The Grassy Lane Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Ernest Siem on Wednesday.

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## Meetings Started for School Plan

### Brownie Day Camp Set For June 20 - 24

Registration for Brownie Day Camp should be made at once to enable the committee to plan accordingly.

Day Camp will be held June 20 through June 24, in the yard of Mrs. Leatha Fickel.

Anyone interested in helping are requested to contact Mrs. Fickel, inasmuch as supervisors are needed and required under rules of the organization.

### 4-H Boys Hold Tour And Picnic Outing

Princeton township 4-H boys held their annual tour of projects and picnic at Crystal Lake. A large group attended.

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

#### JUNE IS DAIRY MONTH

FRIDAY, JUNE 10 — Past Noble Grands meet with Mrs. Dick Holst.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12 — Beekeepers Picnic at 12:30 p.m., home of Peter Krieger - Admiration Gardens.

SATURDAY, JUNE 11 — Princeton Livewires 4-H Club at home of Rita Holst. LeClaire Boosters 4-H Club at home of Beverly Clark.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14 — School - Plan meeting at 8 p.m., Princeton Community Hall. Miriam Circle meeting at home of Mrs. Earl Riggs in evening.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16 — Princeton Presbyterian Church Workers meet in home of Mrs. Bob Porter.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22 — Ice Cream Social in Princeton Presbyterian Church.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29 — General meeting of Zion Lutheran Church women in the evening at the church.

TUESDAY, JULY 5 — Mothers of World War II, Unit 5, regular meeting.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 6 — Grassy Lane Club meeting.

### MOTHERS OF WORLD WAR II TO ATTEND NATIONAL CONVENTION IN DAVENPORT

Mothers of World War II, Unit 5, held their regular June meeting Tuesday in the Princeton school.

At the meeting plans were discussed for members to attend the organization's National Convention to be held in Davenport next week. Feryl Clemons, president, and Florence Littrell will attend as voting delegates. The unit will attend the June 16 meeting of the convention and display the Princeton Unit 5 flag.

Wednesday four members, Irma Litscher, Florence Littrel, Luella Lineberg and Feryl Clemons went to the Clinton Domiciliary and assisted in letter writing and other assignments.

Due to the convention the unit will not hold the June sewing meeting.

Hostesses for the Tuesday meeting were; Marge Klemme and Luella Lineberg. The next meeting will be held the first Tuesday in July.

### Zion Lutheran Circles To Hold June General Meeting

Miriam Circle of Zion Lutheran Church will meet Tuesday evening June 14 in the home of Mrs. Earl Riggs in LeClaire.

Ruth Circle met Wednesday afternoon in the church with Mrs. Mabel McKnight and Mrs. Mae Haines the hostesses.

The general meeting will be held Wednesday, June 29, at the church in the evening.

### Janice Storjohann To Appear On TV

Janice Storjohann, who is in nurses training at St. Luke's, spent several day at Independence. She will sing on Golden Opportunity (WOC-TV) on July 1.

### Social Postponed —

The Ice Cream Social which was scheduled for June 24 by the LeClaire Presbyterian Choir has been postponed due to other activities on the same date.

A new date will be announced later.

### Local Lodge Attends Rebekah Convention

Mrs. Dick Holst attended the Rebekah Convention in Maquoketa Saturday, as a delegate from the local lodge. Rozella West responded to the welcome.

Others attending were; Eunice Auliff, Lydia Gast, Evelyn Wilson, Celeste Peitscher and Mary Mess.

### Church Workers Sponsoring Ice Cream Social

Presbyterian Church Workers will sponsor an Ice Cream Social Wednesday nite, June 22, in the church.

Mrs. Larry McFate is the general chairman.

The Workers are putting the finishing touches on the interior of the newly constructed manse. One of the workers reported that additional help would be appreciated.

### Mrs. James Hamilton Honored At Party

Mrs. James Hamilton was honored at a postnuptial party Wednesday nite in the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Harold Anderson, with twenty friends attending. Winners in games were; Mary Hamilton, Tib Elliott, Florine Speer, Irene Bowker and Velma Bowker.

A two-course luncheon followed the games.

### Altar and Rosary Society Met

The Altar and Rosary Society of St. James Parish met at the home of Mrs. Effie McKnight on Tuesday evening.

Prizewinners were; Mrs. Margaret McClemon, Mrs. Marilyn Litscher, Mrs. Ken Purington and Mrs. Randolph.

The next meeting will be held July 6.

Master Sergeant and Mrs. Joseph Frazier and two children of Tuscon, Arizona, arrived Tuesday and are spending a 25-day furlough with his brother and family, Tom Fraziers, and the Charles Frazier family at Camanche. They will also visit his sisters in Chicago, Des Moines and Davenport.

### LITTLE LEAGUERS DEFEAT LOW MOOR

Princeton Little Leaguers won over Low Moor, 9 to 7 on Tuesday evening. A good crowd attended the game.

### Summit Church School Ends With Program

Vacation Bible School at the Summit Presbyterian Church opened Tuesday, May 31, with an enrollment of 50 pupils, directed by ten teachers.

Classes were held daily and the last class was held Friday with a picnic at noon. There will be a closing program in the church on Sunday evening, June 12.

Mrs. Harold E. Wilson was the superintendent and the teachers and assistants were as follows; Mrs. Robert Diedrich, Mrs. Robert Barr, Mrs. Russell Bayles, Mrs. Malvern Kirby, Miss Neva Kirby, Mrs. Floyd Kirby, Miss Sandra Koch, Miss Evelyn Holtz and Mrs. F. W. Thompson.

The Rev. H. J. Rendall of Morrison, Illinois, delivered the morning message last Sunday and will continue to do so during the month of June.

Due to the illness of the pastor, the Rev. F. W. Thompson, ministers from Davenport and vicinity have been supplying the church with Sunday services.

The Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. H. B. Sawyer on Thursday, June 16.

### Girl Scout's Troop 88 Met

The regular meeting of Troop 88, Girl Scouts, was held at the home of Mrs. Dale Domer on Wednesday.

Eight girls were present. After the reading of the previous meetings minutes it was voted to meet from 1 to 3 p.m. at future regular meetings.

The girls practised knot tying and ended the meeting with taps.

### PROMOTED TO SERGEANT —

Larry Benson, who is stationed in California, was recently promoted to the rank of Sergeant.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Suiter and family have returned from Spencer where they visited her mother and grandmother.

### FIRST STEPS TAKEN

#### TO CHANGE SCHOOL SYSTEM

A meeting to acquaint residents of the town of Princeton and Princeton and LeClaire townships with the newly proposed school district will be held June 14 at 8 p.m. in the Community Hall at Princeton.

On Saturday, June 11, at 8 p.m. a meeting will be held at Butler Township School No. 4, to explain the proposed plan. Winfield Township districts involved will meet Wednesday, June 15. The meeting for Allen Grove Township was held on Wednesday.

The proposed district would include fifteen existing districts in the northeast part of Scott County, involving Allen Grove, Butler, LeClaire, Princeton and Winfield Townships.

This series of explanatory meetings will be followed by seeking County Board of Education approval.

If approved by the county board petitions will be circulated calling for an election on the plan. At least a third of the eligible voters must sign the petitions for such an election to be called.

Included in a voting on the proposed unit, a bond issue for the construction of a high school building would require approval.

Parents, taxpayers and all other interested parties are urged to attend this meeting and gain first-hand information on the proposed district.

### Beekeepers Picnic On Sunday

The beekeepers Annual Family Picnic will be held Sunday, June 12, at 12:30 p.m. at the home of Peter Krieger, Admiration Gardens, on the edge of Princeton.

The organization has contacted Iowa State College for a guest speaker. Inspector Glen Stanley also plans to be present.

Each family is requested to bring table service plus one covered dish and either a salad or dessert. Smoked fish and coffee will be furnished by the association. Also, if possible, those attending are asked to bring card tables and chairs.

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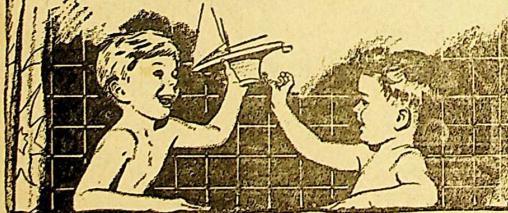
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## COFFEE TIME

by

Mrs. John (Leona) Farley

### COOK OF THE WEEK

SARAH DANNATT

It is our pleasure this week to have as our guest cook, Mrs. Sarah (Eugene) Dannatt of Princeton.

Sarah, who was a 4-H leader for nine years until she suffered a broken ankle, now finds time to teach a class in Sunday School. She is also sponsor for the Junior Fellowship group.

For hobbies Sarah enjoys reading and also growing flowers.

Sarah and Eugene are celebrating their silver anniversary this Sunday with "open house" to be held from 2 to 5 p.m., and from 7 to 10 p.m. They are the parents of three daughters; Mrs. Norman Schroeder of Princeton; Beverly, who is the kindergarten teacher at LeClaire grade school; and Pat, who graduated from Clinton high school this year and has enrolled at Coe College for the coming fall term. There are two grandchildren, Ned and Honda Schroeder.

Following are three of Sarah's recipes:

### ANGEL FOOD CAKE

2 cups egg whites (14 eggs)  
1½ cup sugar  
Heaping cup cake flour  
1½ teaspoon cream of tartar  
¼ teaspoon salt  
1 teaspoon vanilla flavoring  
Sift flour and sugar separately 4 times. Measure each after third sifting, whip egg whites lightly with wire beater. When egg whites are about half beaten add cream of tartar and continue whipping until stiff, then fold in salt, vanilla, sugar and last the flour. Pour into un-oiled tube pan. Start in cold oven and bake at 325 degrees for 60 minutes.

### CORNFLAKE MACAROONS

2 egg whites  
1 cup sugar  
½ teaspoon vanilla flavoring  
1 cup coconut  
2 cups cornflakes  
½ cup chopped nuts  
Beat egg whites until stiff and dry. Fold in sugar gradually. Add flavoring, coconut, cornflakes and nuts. Drop by teaspoonsful onto well-oiled baking sheet. Bake in moderate oven (375 degrees) until delicate brown. Makes 36 servings.

### RHUBARB PIE

Fill pastry-lined pie pan with finely sliced rhubarb. Combine 1½ cups sugar, 3 tablespoons flour, 2 egg yolks, ¼ teaspoon salt and enough water to make thin paste. Pour over the rhubarb. Bake without top crust at 350 degrees until rhubarb is tender.

Cover the top with meringue, made as follows:

Beat the egg whites until stiff, then add 2 teaspoon sugar, and ¼ teaspoon cream of tartar.

Put the pie back in oven until the meringue is delicately brown.

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By Mrs. Laura Gast

Rev. and Mrs. C. S. Ramsdale spent Sunday and Monday in Monmouth, Illinois, attending the baccalaureate services and commencement at Monmouth College. Their daughter, Margaret, was one of the graduates.

Mrs. Eleanor McLaughlin Cunney of Loveland, Colorado, spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of her aunt, Mrs. Gladys Henry. A family dinner was held in her honor at noon Sunday.

Irene and Mary Brown of Chicago, who have been the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fletcher the past week, returned home Monday evening.

Bob Lundholm is home on a three-week furlough. We were glad to have him in our midst Sunday morning and evening.

The Womens Missionary Society met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Everett Sidlinger. The leader was Mrs. Vera Domer.

The L. O. A. Class-meeting was held Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Roy Bowley. Mrs. Irene Bowker was the leader.

Mr. and Mrs. James Holst left Thursday morning for a trip by auto to Minnesota.

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By Mrs. Lloyd Sterk

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Havenhill are moving into their recently purchased home in LeClaire this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Leninger visited relatives in Brighton, Iowa, Tuesday.

Herman Carstens is in DeWitt Community hospital where he is improving satisfactorily after a leg amputation above the knee.

Mary Ann and Kenny Storjohann and Inez Wolfe visited Richard Storjohann in Parker, South Dakota.

Jimmie Phillips of Kansas City is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Amelia Hirl.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines are here from Phoenix, Arizona, and will remain for the summer.

Roxy Ernsberger has returned home from Massachusetts Institute of Technology for the summer.

Gary Ruhberg has completed his army service at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo., and has returned home.

Pfc. James Hamilton is enroute to Austria and has arrived at Casa Blanca.

Misses Linda and Wanda Guthardt and Miss Nancy Lee Purington spent several days vacation in Chicago with Nancy's grandmother, Mrs. Hazel Ray.

Misses Peggy and Mary Volrath have been in the hospital the past week. They had their tonsils removed Tuesday.

Johnny Frazier is visiting his cousin, Roger Frazier, in Camanche this week.

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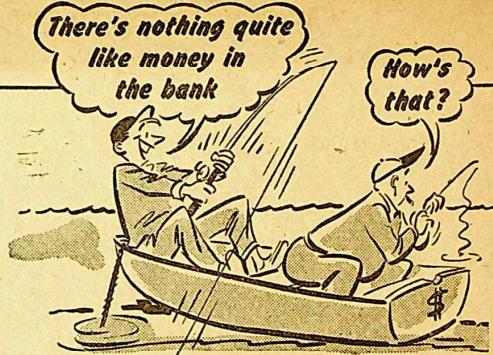
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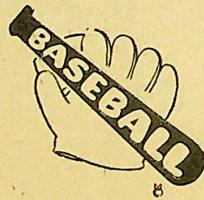
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